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BANQUET

*Commemorating 400th Anniversary of*

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*Tuesday, July 13, 1937*

*May Fair Hotel, London*

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The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.  
of Massachusetts

Admit Bearer to

*Reception and Banquet*

to the

Honourable Artillery Company

*on the occasion of their 400th Anniversary*

*Tuesday, July 13th, 1937*

*at 7:30 for 8 o'clock*

May Fair Hotel, London

No. 319



ENTRY through Crush Room  
and Art Gallery

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Honourable Artillery Company*

BY

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AT GUILDHALL

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*To have the honour to meet  
His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O.*

*1537.*



*1937.*

*Colonel The Earl Fortescue, the Officers  
and Members of the Honourable Artillery Company  
request the pleasure of the Company of*

*Lieut. Louis O Adams.*

*at a Banquet to be held at  
Grosvenor House, Park Lane.*

*on Monday, July 12<sup>th</sup> 1937.*

*To celebrate the 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the incorporation  
of the Regiment by Royal Charter of  
King Henry VIII.*

*7.30 for 8 p.m.*

*R.S.V.P.  
To Armoury House, Finsbury.*



# Reception at Guildhall to the Members of the Honourable Artillery Company

Wednesday, 14th July, 1937.

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The general arrangements on the above occasion will be as follows :—

## IN THE LIBRARY.

- 8.45 to 9.30 p.m. - Reception by the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor and  
Lady Mayoress.  
From 10 p.m. - - Dancing.
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## IN THE GUILDHALL.

Dancing.

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## IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Concert.

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## IN THE ART GALLERY.

The Corporation's Collection of Works of Art will be on view. There will also be an exhibition of Antiquities, Charters, Manuscripts, etc., belonging to the Corporation.

A selection of the Mansion House Plate will be displayed.

Ancient Records of the Honourable Artillery Company will also be displayed.

Music by the String Band of the Honourable Artillery Company.

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## THE GUILDHALL MUSEUM.

The Museum will be open throughout the evening.

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Refreshments will be served at various buffets, the position of which will be indicated in the Programme which will be handed to guests on their arrival.



# FLANK COMPANIES' BALL, 1937.

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## TRAFFIC AND GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The rough plan overleaf has been drawn up for the convenience of all members and their guests. If they will be good enough to note the following instructions, many difficulties and much loss of time will be avoided :—

1. Upon arrival a guide at Point A will direct cars into four roped Avenues.
2. Tickets will be collected at Points B. *Please have your tickets ready, and if your guests are arriving independently please give them their tickets beforehand.* Admittance cannot be guaranteed unless tickets are produced on demand. Please do not get out of your car or taxi, or allow your guests to get out until Point D is reached.
3. At Point C cars will converge into single line traffic and passengers will be set down at Point D, where Cloak Rooms will be provided. Cars will then leave by the Bunhill Row gate where they will come under the supervision of the Metropolitan Police. Members are once again warned not to leave any articles of value in their cars. *No cars will be parked in the grounds of Armoury House.*
4. Please do not arrange upon arrival to meet your party in the Long Room. Adequate Buffet and Bar accommodation has been arranged everywhere, and the Committee is anxious to avoid the usual congestion in Armoury House at the beginning of the Ball. If during the evening you find any one Bar overcrowded please move on to another. In addition to the accommodation shown on the plan, the following arrangements have been made :—

*Long Room.*—Buffet and Two Bars.

*Dining Room.*—Buffet.

*Cold Room.*—Buffet and Bar.

*As the space available for the parking of cars within the vicinity of Armoury House is somewhat limited, it has been suggested by the Police that as many guests as possible should leave their cars outside the area of Armoury House and continue the journey by taxi.*



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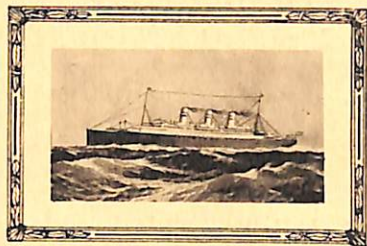
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*The Buffoon*



## Dinner

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to Celebrate their

Birthday

on Board

R.M.S. "Statendam"

July 4, 1937

Guests:

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Riddell

Mr. and Mrs Louis Adams

Mr. John MacTavish

Mr. Eugene Hudson

## MENU

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Céleri farci - Olives

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Petite Marmite Henri IV

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Homard à la Newburg

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Suprême de Volaille à l'Idéal sous Cloche

Légumes Assortis

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Gâteau Anniversaire

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Omelette Jubilée

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Fruits - Dessert

Many Happy Returns of the Day



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July 6-23

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~~Mr.~~ Major Louis C. Adams

(See other side)

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*Joseph Maynard*  
Collector

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PARIS 1937





July 12 - '37

BOSTON DAILY RECORD Wednesday, June 30, 1937

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## BOSTON ANCIENTS HONORED IN LONDON

### 68 Take Part in 400th Anniversary There

LONDON, July 12 (A P)—Sixty-eight members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company from Boston took part in celebrations marking the 400th anniversary of the London regiment.

The Honorable Artillery Company, which claims to be the oldest regiment in the world, was incorporated by King Henry VIII, in 1537, but its history goes back even beyond that date. It held its name for nearly 200 years before it ossessed artillery in the modern sense of the word. Next year it will undergo its latest change, when it becomes mechanized as part of the British Army program.

The American unit, now headed by Col Charles T. Cahill, dates back to 1638 when it was founded by members of the English company who were among the settlers in Massachusetts. It no longer exists as a military organization in the United States but serves to keep alive the tradition linking Boston with the mother country.

The 10 days of celebration which will end July 19 include a dinner tonight at which the Duke of Gloucester, King George's brother, will propose the American visitors' healths.

## Ancients Off to London for Ceremony



Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Staley, Mrs. L. C. Adams, J. D. Benson, Grace Callahan, Mrs. J. D. Benson, and Maarjorie Sheppard, l. to r., leaving South Station, yesterday, for New York, to sail for England, where the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co., of this city, will make King George VI. an honorary member.

## TOAST IN LONDON TO BOSTON ANCIENTS

### Duke of Gloucester Notes Two Nations' Ideals

LONDON, July 13 (A P)—Flags of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company fluttered overhead—tattered by the passage of centuries. Beneath them the Duke of Gloucester, helping the organization celebrate its 400th anniversary, proposed a toast to the organization's Boston contingent:

"The peoples of the world have been threatened by clouds that obscure the light of day. But, however strained the atmosphere may have been we know that our two nations will keep faith with their ideals and will exert their influence to restore normal conditions in a sorely perplexed world."

Sixty-eight Boston members heard the Duke last night at the regimental dinner. The American unit, dating back to 1638, no longer exists as a military organization in the United States, but keeps alive its traditional connection with the English regiment.

AUGUST 2, 1937

## KING GEORGE VI. WITH ANCIENTS



At the regiment's 400th anniversary celebration, recently, in England, King George reviewed members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. The King is seated in the front row, surrounded by officers. Front row, left to right, Captain Clarence J. McKenzie, Colonel Henry D. Cormerais (Adjutant, A. H. A. C.), the King, Lieutenant Louis C. Adams, Captain William H. Ellis. Back row, left to right, Judge David Nagle, Mr. John R. McTavish, Lieutenant Eugene A. Hudson, Lieutenant Frank W. Whitcher, Lieutenant M. Adeane, Coldstream Guards; Lieutenant J. E. Grinfield-Coxwell, Sergeant John H. Devine, Mr. Andrew Seiler and Lieutenant Delbert M. Staley. (Photo copyright, Bassano, Ltd.)



## Some Prominent Ancients With Members Of Their Families Leaving For London Today



Above, Left to Right—Lieut W. D. Riddell and wife; Capt Charles T. Cahill, commanding, and wife; Lieut L. C. Adams and wife. Below—Mrs William H. Ellis and daughter; Capt William H. Ellis; C. J. McKenzie and wife.

Photos by Oppenheim

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### 'BON VOYAGE' KISS FOR SISTER



Boston Evening American Photo

Here's an affectionate brother, Lieutenant John Benson of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, kissing his sister, Mrs. L. C. Adams, goodbye, as she leaves South station with a party which is to be entertained in London by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of England.



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# Bank Proclamation

[Special Dispatch to The Herald]

WASHINGTON, March 5—The text of President Roosevelt's proclamation on the banking situation, issued at the White House at 11 o'clock tonight, but dated March 6 (Monday), was as follows:

By the President of the United States of America  
**A PROCLAMATION**

Whereas there have been heavy and unwarranted withdrawals of gold and currency from our banking institutions for the purpose of hoarding; and

Whereas continuous and increasingly extensive speculative activity abroad in foreign exchange has resulted in severe drains on the nation's stock of gold; and

Whereas these conditions have created a national emergency; and

Whereas it is in the best interests of all bank depositors that a period of respite be provided with a view to preventing further hoarding of coin, bullion or currency or speculation in foreign exchange and permitting the application of appropriate measures to protect the interests of our people; and

Whereas it is provided in Section five (B) of the act of Oct. 6, 1917 (40 stat. L. 411) as amended, "That the President may investigate, regulate or prohibit, under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe, by means of licenses or otherwise, any transactions in foreign exchange and the export, hoarding, melting or earmarking of gold or silver coin or bullion or currency \* \* \* \* \*"; and

Whereas it is provided in Section 16 of the said act "that whoever shall wilfully violate any of the provisions of this act or of any license, rule, or regulation issued thereunder, and whoever shall wilfully violate, neglect or refuse to comply with any order issued in compliance with the provisions of this act, shall, upon conviction be fined not more than \$10,000, or, if a natural person, imprisoned for not more than 10 years or both; \* \* \* \* \*";

Now, therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, in view of such national emergency, and by virtue of the authority invested in me by said act and in order to prevent the export, hoarding, or earmarking of gold or silver coin or bullion or currency, do hereby proclaim, order, direct and declare that from Monday, the sixth day of March, to Thursday, the ninth day of March, 1933, both dates inclusive, there shall be maintained and observed by all banking institutions and all branches thereof located in the United States of America, including the territories and insular possessions, a bank holiday, and that during said period all banking transactions shall be suspended.

During such holiday excepting as hereinafter provided, no such banking institution or branch shall pay out, export, earmark, or permit the withdrawal or transfer in any manner or by any device whatsoever, of any gold or silver coin or bullion or currency or take any other action which might facilitate the hoarding thereof; nor shall any such banking institution or branch pay out deposits, make loans or discounts, deal in foreign exchange, transfer credits from the United States to any place abroad, or transact any other banking business, whatsoever.

During such holiday the secretary of the treasury, with the approval of the President and under such regulations as he may prescribe is authorized and empowered (A) to permit any or all of such banking institutions to perform any or all of the usual banking functions (B) to direct, require or permit the issuance of clearing house certificates, or other evidences of claims of assets of banking institutions, and (C) to authorize and direct the creation in such banking institutions of special trust accounts for the receipt of new deposits which shall be subject to withdrawal on demand without any restriction or limitation and shall be kept separately in cash or on deposit in federal reserve banks or invested in obligations of the United States.

As used in this order the term "banking institutions" shall include all federal reserve banks, national banking associations, banks, trust companies, savings banks, building and loan associations, credit unions, or other corporations, partnerships, associations or persons, engaged in the business of receiving deposits, making loans, discounting business paper, or transacting any other form of banking business.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done in the city of Washington this 6th day of March—1 A. M., in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Three, and of the Independence of the United States the One hundred and fifty-seventh.

(SEAL)

(Signed)

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

By the President;  
CORDELL HULL,  
Secretary of State.



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## SPECIAL ILLUSTRATED REPORT: H.A.C. 4th CENTENARY CELEBRATION

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### DEATH

WOODROW.—On July 12, Ernest A. E. Woodrow, F.R.I.B.A., of Way Cottage, Church Way, Whetstone, N.20, aged 77.

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### CORPORATION OF LONDON.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT VETERINARY INSPECTOR at the Metropolitan Cattle Market, and for the City of London, under the Diseases of Animals Acts.

The Cattle Markets Committee of the Corporation of London invite APPLICATIONS from fully qualified Veterinary Surgeons for the above appointment. The salary of the position is £700 per annum, rising in the discretion of the Committee by annual increments of £25 to £800 per annum. Forms of application may be obtained of the Town Clerk, Guildhall, E.C.2, with whom all applications for the appointment must be lodged on or before the 18th August, 1937.

ROACH.

Guildhall, London, E.C.2  
July, 1937.

### TO THE ELECTORS OF THE WARD OF BILLINGSGATE.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I take this, the earliest opportunity, of saying how proud and pleased I am that I have been elected to succeed our late friend Mr. W. A. Reading as a representative of the Ward of Billingsgate on the Court of Common Council.

It is also gratifying to me to feel that the Fish Trade Association supported my nomination unanimously, and further, that the Committee of the Ward Club also unanimously supported my nomination.

Having been elected without a contest, I wish very much to express my sincere APPRECIATION of the confidence of the Citizens in the Ward, and you can rest assured that I shall do the best I can to maintain the dignity of the Corporation of the City of London, and do everything I possibly can for the Ward of Billingsgate.

I am,

Yours truly,  
WILLIAM H. T. PILBROW.

14th July, 1937.

### WARD OF BILLINGSGATE.

A WARDMOTE was held at Watermen's and Lightermen's Hall, St. Mary-at-Hill in and for the Ward of Billingsgate, on Wednesday, the 14th July, 1937, before the Worshipful Sir WILLIAM GEOFFREY COXEN, Alderman of the Ward.

The Wardmote having been opened, the Ward Clerk read the Precepts and the 65th Standing Order.

The following resolution was proposed by Mr. Gorman, C.O., seconded by Mr. W. H. Cork, and carried unanimously, all present standing in silence:

That this Wardmote desires to express its sincere regret at the death on the 16th June, 1937, of Mr. William Alfred Reading, who has most ably represented this Ward on the Court of Common Council since his election on the 10th September, 1919, and tenders to Mrs. Reading and her family sincere sympathy with them in their bereavement.

The Alderman declared that Mr. William Henry Tilley Pilbrow, of 39, Botolph Lane, E.C.3, being the only candidate duly nominated, was duly ELECTED as COMMON COUNCILMAN for this Ward for the remainder of the current year, in the room and stead of Mr. William Alfred Reading deceased.

The following further resolution was proposed by Sheriff Sir Charles McRea, C.O., seconded by Mr. Virgil Boys, and carried unanimously, all present standing in silence:

That this Wardmote desires to place on record its sense at the loss by death, on the 15th May, 1937, of Mr. Edward Hipwell, who for nearly forty years discharged the duties of Beadle in a most exemplary manner. He will be remembered for his courtesy, his tact, and sincerity by all who knew him.

Mr. Frederick William Holmes was duly elected Beadle for the remainder of the current year in the place of Mr. Edward Hipwell, deceased.

A letter from the Town Clerk with reference to the appointment of a Committee of six members to deal with the question of air raid precautions was read, and the following were elected as a Special Committee to deal with the same, namely:

Mr. A. P. Gorman, C.O.  
Mr. Francis Dudley Baverstock.  
Mr. Virgil Boys.  
Mr. Albert Samuel Groves.  
Mr. Charles Lewis.  
Mr. Henry Gibson Lynn.

Votes of thanks to the Watermen's and Lightermen's Company for the use of their Hall, and of thanks to the Alderman for presiding, were duly proposed, seconded, and carried unanimously.

Reference was made to the absence of the Deputy, Sir Harry Bird, owing to illness, and the Wardmote expressed its sympathy with him in his illness, and a wish for his speedy recovery. Directions were given to advertise the proceedings in the City Press and "Daily Telegraph."

DOUGLASS MATHEWS.

1, St. Andrew's Hill, E.C.4.  
14th July, 1937.

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# THE BANQUET

## LORD DENBIGH AND THE COLOURS

THE Company gave a banquet at Grosvenor House on Monday. Those present numbered not far short of a thousand.

Earl Fortescue, the Colonel-Commandant and President, occupied the chair. Upon his right sat the Duke of Gloucester, and the Lord Mayor, whose predecessors were so often Presidents of the ancient Fraternity in the old days.

Above the President's chair hung the Colours of the Regiment, and opposite were the Colours of 1829; while the tattered old flags of the 18th century, which adorn the Long Room at the Armoury House, had been brought to remind the guests of the long past of the Corps. At each end of the long banqueting hall were flags—made at the time of the Pageant at the Tower—of the 17th century Trained Bands.

Col. the Earl of Denbigh, now Vice-President, but for so long the venerated President, sat next to Lieut.-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, Captain of the Ancients; and nearby were the Lord Chancellor and Mr. L. Hore-Belisha, Secretary of State for War. Another distinguished guest was Sir Cyril Deverell, the Chief of the Imperial General Staff.

The toast of "The King, the Captain-General," was honoured with the famous "Artillery fire," which is believed by some authorities to represent the sound (Zah-y Zah-y) made by the bow strings of the old archers.

Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, M.P., Secretary of State for War, proposed the toast of "The Regiment," and said they were celebrating the quatercentenary of the incorporation by Royal Charter of the Honourable Artillery Company in warm, not to say explosive and fiery, fashion. He proposed the toast conscious of the fact that he was drinking not only to the present Company, but to that whole succession of Companies, which, marching out of the past, seemed to be assembled there to reinforce them. (Hear, hear.)

In the Pageant two days previously they had seen the evolution of arms from the crossbow to the modern rifle—having long since given up the long-bow to the politician—(laughter)—and the evolution of dress; but the purpose of the Company was unchanged.

### OFFICER-PRODUCING UNIT.

Its function in Tudor times was that of an officer-producing unit, and that still remained one of its functions to-day. In the mobilisation for the Spanish Armada, in the Civil War, in the Napoleonic Wars, and in the Crimea and South Africa, the Regiment either participated as a self-contained unit, or provided officers for other regiments, or both.

When the Great War broke out, a queue of would-be recruits stretched for half a mile from the gates of Armoury House. The H.A.C. not only sent five Batteries and two Battalions on to the field, but supplied between four and five thousand officers for other units. (Hear, hear, and applause.)

At the conclusion of hostilities, the Company had an impressive list of individual honours, including three V.C.'s; and of battle honours.

### 20 PER CENT. OVER STRENGTH.

That was a proof in some measure of the dependence of the country on the service of the H.A.C. Anyone concerned with the capacity of our defence forces must keep an interested eye on what was happening within the Regiment. It was now 20 per cent. over strength, and had a waiting list—(applause and cheers). Yet it was a regiment which made conditions. Every applicant had either to be proposed and seconded by present members, or to produce satisfactory credentials. The H.A.C. evidently considered it a privilege for a

man to be permitted to serve his country.

He took that view about the whole British Army. (Hear, hear.) The British Empire was built up and had been maintained under a voluntary system, which to-day was undergoing its most severe trial. Could it provide the two prerequisites of survival and safety in the modern world—a stable Government and a sure defence? The first it had provided, and the second was in course of provision. That was why they looked to the celebration of the quatercentenary of the founding of the H.A.C. to remind them of what Britain had done before, and to hearten us in what we must do again.

### LOVE OF PEACE.

By their devotion and example, the members of the H.A.C. showed that a soldier's life, as part of the citizen's life, could, and must, be undertaken not through love of war, but through love of peace.

The Earl Fortescue, Colonel-Commandant and President of the H.A.C., in reply, said that he had received messages of congratulation from Johannesburg, Calcutta, Cape Town, Auckland, New Zealand, the Transvaal, and Lord Galway.

The numbers were extremely satisfactory. Last year the regiment was a good deal below strength, but to-day it was above. He thanked all who had done their bit to achieve that.

In replying to the toast of "The Regiment," he felt he was speaking on behalf not only of those present, but of those who four hundred years ago helped to make the H.A.C. what it then was, and of those who in succeeding years helped to maintain its great traditions.

### UNIQUE TRADITIONS.

Regimental traditions were of slow growth, and the Company's were unique in the history of the country in that they dated back 123 years before the formation of the regular Army. They of the present generation remembered with respect those founders of the daughter Company, the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, who clung tenaciously to the tenets of their Charter. The Regiment, in its capacity of an officer-producing unit, had given birth to many soldiers of note, who had seen Active Service in many lands. The first name mentioned in the Royal Charter was that of an officer who was killed in the defence of Calais; and so the tale had been carried on.

Members of the Company fought on both sides in the Civil War, but, however regrettable that might seem, some satisfaction might be found in the fact that, on whatever side they fought, they fought well. With the formation of the Regular Army in the reign of Charles II, the Company became the chief source of supply to the King's forces. He was sure that everybody would agree with him that the Regiment could have no better role than that of an officer-producing unit.

### THE GREAT WAR

Special words were required to refer to those who served in the last War. Eighteen hundred members of the Regiment fell in action, and the way in which the Regiment did its duty was a testimony to the patriotism and valour of its members. Those who fell in the War set an example which we had to follow to-day. Young men who failed in these troublous times to prepare themselves to defend our country, failed in their primary duty as citizens.

The Duke of Gloucester gave the toast of "The Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston, Massachusetts," and said it could claim to be the oldest military body in the New World. Almost three centuries ago several of the early settlers in Boston who had been members of the H.A.C. in London took it into their heads to form a Company on the same lines.

### ANCIENTS' CHARTER

They asked the Governor for a Charter, but their request at first met with a flat refusal, as the Council considered it "dangerous to erect a standing authority of mili-

tary men." However, after a time, the value to the community of a body of responsible citizens skilled in arms was realised, and a Charter was granted by which "divers gentlemen and others out of their care of the publick weal and safety were given licence to join themselves in one Company with liberty to exercise themselves in the advancement of the military art, as their occasion would best permit."

Under the title of the Military Company of the Massachusetts, the members were to meet on the first Monday of the month, and were given a thousand acres as a training ground. On the First of June, 1638, the "Ancients" came into being, under the captaincy of Robert Keayne, an original member of the Company in London. The names of several members of the parent Company were to be found in the early rolls at Boston. For various reasons, the connection between the two bodies lapsed for a long period. It was not revived until 1857, when a fairly regular exchange of courtesies was established.

### A COMMON STOCK

The two Companies sprang from a common stock and were raised within a hundred years of each other on similar lines, and with like objects. In these troublous times, we welcomed the preservation of every link between Britain and America, as well as every opportunity of personal contact.

Col. Charles Cahill, Captain of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston, Massachusetts, responded, thanking the H.A.C. for its hospitality, and adding that the "Ancients" had produced many men distinguished in a variety of spheres.

### ARMADA HONOURS.

The Earl of Denbigh, Vice-President of the H.A.C., submitted the toast of "The Guests, and referred to the part played by the Regiment in providing the Trained Bands at the time of the Spanish Armada. Some years ago an application was made to the War Office to have "Spanish Armada" inscribed on the regimental Colours, but the War Office, who hated anything that suggested the formation of a precedent—(laughter)—refused.

At this point Mr. Hore-Belisha handed a note to the Earl, and his Lordship read it as follows: "I will go into it." (Laughter and applause.)

Gen. Sir Walter Kirke, Director-General of the Territorial Army, and Gen. Sir Harry Chauvel replied.

### THE ANCIENTS ENTERTAIN

#### HISTORIC MEMENTOS FOR ARMOURY HOUSE

RECIPROCATING the hospitality accorded to them by the parent Regiment, the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company gave a reception and banquet at the May Fair Hotel on Tuesday.

Lieut.-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, Captain-Commanding, presided, and was supported by Lieut. Albert E. Roberts, First Lieutenant; Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Second Lieutenant; Colonel Henry D. Cormerais, Adjutant; and Captain Clarence J. McKenzie, Chairman of the Past-Commanders' Committee for the London visit.

Prince Arthur of Connaught sat at the right of the Chairman, and the Lord Mayor and Colonel the Earl Fortescue on his left.

The toasts of "The King," "The President of the United States," and "Queen Mary and the Royal Family," were submitted by Col. Cormerais, officiating as toastmaster, and duly honoured.

Colonel Cahill proposed "The British Empire," saying they were highly honoured by the presence of Prince Arthur of Connaught, whose name was well known in America, through his close association with Canada.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, in responding, addressed the company as "Comrades of the Honourable Artillery Companies of both hemispheres."

### CANADIAN CORPS.

His father, he said, was for a good many years the Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada; and he himself also had the honour for four years of being Governor-General and High Commissioner

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# HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY

OVER 2,500 guests assembled on Saturday at the regimental pageant and garden party on the Artillery Ground.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts—the American off-shoot, which will celebrate its 300th anniversary next year—sent a delegation. Ladies accompanied the members.

The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress, attended by Mr. W. T. Boston, Serjeant-at-Arms, were present. His Lordship inspected and addressed the American delegation.

Earl Fortescue, Colonel-Commandant of the Honourable Artillery Company, accompanied by Lady Fortescue and their son, Viscount Ebrington, received his Lordship.

The H.A.C. was truly "at home" to everybody. Refreshments were served in a large marquee, and Armoury House, with its wealth of interesting historic souvenirs, was open to inspection. The weather was ideal, and the proceedings were thoroughly enjoyable. Remarking on this at the close, one of the American officers said: "We highly appreciate the way we have been treated. We have enjoyed ourselves greatly, and we hope to do as well by the Honourable Artillery Company's delegation when they visit us at Boston next year."

As a prelude to the pageant, "Cricket in 1725" was presented by a team in period dress, who made quaint play at two-stump wickets with club-like bats at the under-hand lobs bowled to them, four in an over.

## ANTIENCS MARCH ON.

To a broadcast welcome on behalf of the H.A.C., the delegation of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company marched on to the ground, led by the band of the H.A.C. Just previously, the American ladies had passed in procession to take up seats just behind the saluting base. Lieut.-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, Captain-Commanding the "Ancients," led the delegation, and was accompanied by Active Adjutant Colonel Henry D. Comerai, who is also a past Commander of the Company. Three ensigns, in uniform of 1812, including peaked shakos and tailed coats of blue with red facings, bore silken flags—the Stars and Stripes, the Union Jack, and the banner of the State of Massachusetts. Neat dark blue uniforms, with red braiding, predominated, with here and there a variant in buff or green. Three U.S. Navy men were in the delegation—Commanders R. P. Evans, Ernest Freeman, and Harry Marshall.

After inspecting the Ancients, the Lord Mayor addressed them as follows: "Officers and members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, I am delighted, in the first place, to offer you a sincere and hearty welcome to London and to our country. I know the origin of your ancient Company, but I am not going into the details of that now; and I know that the fact of your existence means the strengthening of the bonds of friendship between my country and the United States of America."

"I am delighted to know that your visit here is to help to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the Honourable Artillery Company of this country. It is interesting to me to know that next year you will celebrate the 300th year of your existence."

## LORD MAYOR'S WISH.

"Now all I can say to you in the few words that I have to utter is this—and it is an American expression—'may the best of your past be the worst of your future.' I thank you very much."

Then the Pageant, arranged by Major Gould Walker, began, and the field was soon a gay colourful scene as bowmen, billmen, pikemen, and musketeers came on in successive companies, followed by Grenadiers of Queen Anne's time, and artillery and infantry of 1800.

## A FOUR CENTURIES' PAGEANT.

The object of the Pageant, which was admirably achieved, was to present a living picture epitome of the progress of the Honourable Artillery Company from the time of its incorporation by Royal Charter of Henry VIII in 1537, when it was known as the Guild of St. George. Uniforms, equipment, and military exercises were faithfully reproduced.

It was announced to the assembly that the first detachment to enter the arena represented "The Fraternity or Guild of Artillery of Longbows, Crossbows, and Handguns," licensed by the Charter of 1537, "to shoot at all manner of marks and butts, at heron or pheasant, or other game, except within two miles of the King's residence, anywhere within the realm of England, Ireland, and Wales, and the marches of Calais."

London troops, officered by members of the Guild of Artillery, as they marched in a great review by Henry VIII in 1539, came carrying bows, hand-guns, pikes, and bills, and marching five abreast—each man a bow's length apart from his neighbour.

## THE ARMADA.

Next were introduced "Citizens of

## Fourth Centenary—A Week of Celebration

During the week the Honourable Artillery Company has been celebrating by a number of functions and events, the 400th anniversary of its incorporation by Royal Charter of King Henry VIII in 1537.

The Guild of St. George, the original and still the name of the Fraternity, is much older than the Charter.

To the celebrations the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, Mass., the American offshoot of the London Guild, sent a delegation.

The commemoration opened with the Flank Companies' Ball on Friday last; there was a Pageant, at which the Lord Mayor inspected the Ancients, on Saturday; Church Parade took place at St. Paul's on Sunday; a magnificent banquet was given on Monday; a return banquet was held by the Ancients on Tuesday; and a reception was given by the Corporation at the Guildhall on Wednesday.

On Monday, H.M. The King, Captain-General, will inspect the Regiment and the Ancients on the Artillery Ground.



LORD MAYOR INSPECTS THE ANCIENS

London practised in arms," as the Artillery Company, then 300 strong, was known at the time of the Spanish Armada. They trained the leading citizens, and officered the London Trained Bands on ships sent out by the City to meet the Armada. With the Army they also gathered at Tilbury and elsewhere to resist invasion. In this detachment the musketeers fired the heavy muskets from the rests that were required to support them in action.

## H.A.C. DOYEN.

Pikemen and musketeers of the Artillery Company in 1641, when the Company took possession of the present ground as tenant of the City, were represented, doing their elaborate marching exercise, and firing as advanced skirmishers one shot per 2½ minutes, while the pikemen formed a phalanx to protect them. This party was commanded in the episode by that doyen of the Regiment, Colonel F. Farrington, who joined the H.A.C. 53 years ago.

Grenadiers of the Artillery Company in Queen Anne's reign, with mitre hats and buff-hued coats, marched in, stiff and straight and slow, at the stilted pace required by the regulations of the period, while the band played that old provocative Irish Protestant lay, "Lullibulero."

## GORDON RIOTS.

There was contrasting bustle with the contingent portraying artillery and infantry of 1800, who entered dragging one of the two guns presented to the Company in 1781 by the City in recognition of the regiment's services at the Gordon Riots in the previous year. To man these two guns, the artillery division of the regiment was originally formed, but the guns were not a separate unit, and the two pieces are believed to be the only examples of battalion guns in existence. While the infantry had red coats, the artillery had blue.

"A Field Day in 1829"—an episode presented by the Company at the Royal Tournament at Olympia this year—was successfully repeated. The year 1829 was the last in which the Regiment wore its old distinctive uniform. The contingent brought in the two guns presented to the Regiment by Alderman Sir William Curtis, who was President of the Company and Lord Mayor in 1796. Infantry and artillery wore exact reproductions of uniforms, and the colours of the Regiment, and the King's Colour of the period were carried. A Yagar Company in dark green scouted, riflemen

used their flint-lock muskets, and the guns made effective firing. A rallying square was formed, and, the "enemy" having been repelled, the detachment slowly marched away to the stately strains of the old version of "The British Grenadiers."

## THE GREAT WAR.

Memories of to-day were comprised in the final tableaux. A detachment of H.A.C. Artillery, in the pre-War full dress, as they appeared in the Coronation procession in May, came on the scene, and there followed some effective war-time episodes.

A detachment of the 1st Battalion, which embarked for France on September 18, 1914, was depicted coming out of the line in the trench warfare. Every man taking part in this episode served in France with the Battalion in the early days of the War. The men's appearance in soiled khaki, heavy laden with kit and arms, aroused poignant memories.

On the Eastern Front from early in 1915 "A" and "B" Batteries, H.A.C., served. A gun team of 14 horses, as used in the deserts of Palestine, was shown, with pedrails—square blocks of wood—on the wheels, to prevent their sinking into the sand. All the participants in the episode had served with H.A.C. Batteries in the War.

Artillery and Infantry of to-day gave demonstrations of coming into action. Guns supported the advancing infantry by firing rounds. Motor trucks brought up ammunition, while machine-guns engaged the enemy.

Lastly, a detachment of H.A.C. Infantry marched in with the regimental colours, and formed up in front of the historical detachments, which had remained grouped picturesquely on the ground. The ceremony of marching off the Colours was performed, and then the

whole parade marched past, Lord Fortescue taking the salute.

At the conclusion, Colonel Henry D. Comerai presented members of the American party to Lord and Lady Fortescue. Before leaving Armoury House, Lieut.-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, on behalf of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, placed a wreath on the H.A.C. War Memorial at the head of the stairway.

## THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT ST. PAUL'S

### LORD MAYOR TAKES SALUTE

On Sunday, the Regiment, together with the American visitors, attended a special service at St. Paul's Cathedral.

There was a large gathering of Veteran members—with their families—some wearing the full-dress uniform which they had long discarded.

Headed by the band, the regiment marched through the City Streets, attracting unexpected and unusual crowds. The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company was given pride of place, following immediately after the band.

Earl Fortescue was in command of the parade, Lieut.-Colonel E. F. Stanford of "A" Battery, Major J. A. Hill of "B" Battery, and Lieut.-Colonel H. W. O'Brien of the Infantry Battalion.

The service was taken by Minor Canon R. H. Couchman; the Archdeacon read the prayers; and the Dean and the Rev. A. St. G. Colthurst (Chaplain to the H.A.C.) were present.

### TWO SPECIAL PRAYERS.

Among the prayers were two which directly concerned the Company. The first was in the following terms:

Dearly beloved in the Lord, we are gathered together to render humble and hearty thanks to Almighty God for the 400th anniversary of the Honourable Artillery Company. Let us faithfully and devoutly beg His blessing on this our undertaking, for which purpose silence shall be kept for a space.

The second came directly after the prayers for the Royal Family, and was:

Let us remember before God those who have belonged to the Honourable Artillery Company.

Lord Fortescue read the Lesson.

### CLASSICAL CONTINUITY.

The Rev. E. H. Thorold, Chaplain-General to the Forces, in the course of his sermon, said that the regiment was a classical instance of continuity, and of the development in our National life.

It was the oldest regiment in the British Army, and possessed wonderful and unique traditions. For centuries, the citizens of London, of the best means and quality, had filled its ranks with the approval of the Lord Mayor and Aldermen as a matter very requisite and necessary for the common weal. Its history was interwoven with the annals of England.

Speaking specially to members of the Veteran Company, he said that they in their day, and in the only way they could, helped to save England. Having won the War, they were still striving to win the peace.

### MIGHTY MEN OF PAST.

Those on the Active List had reason to take pride in the past. But they did not make the Company. It was mostly made by mighty men of all ranks in the past. They must live up to it.

Specially welcoming the Americans, he said that the relationship between the parent stem and the fruitful branch was of the best. It was, indeed, a joy to see the two united under that roof.

This was a great public occasion, and a joyous and triumphant one.

The regiment marched back via the Mansion House, where the Lord Mayor, standing with the Lady Mayoress by his side, took the salute from the Balcony.

Afterwards at the Armoury House Long-Service medals were presented by the Colonel-Commandant to Farrier E. Bowden, Bombardier C. H. Butt, and Gunner J. F. L. Clarke, of "B" Battery; and Sergeant W. R. H. Robson, Corporal P. P. Benson, Private W. H. Ogden Smith, Private A. H. H. Christmas, and Private F. C. B. Covell, of the Infantry Battalion.

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of the Union of South Africa. Therefore, the reply to the toast was not placed in the hands of a person who was entirely ignorant of the British Empire. He also spent two and a-half years of the Great War as a staff officer of the Canadian Corps, and was with them during many great engagements, including the finest trench attack of the War—the capture of Vimy Ridge. He was with the Corps till the end of the War, and spent six months with them in the Army of Occupation of the Rhine. Consequently, he felt very close to their American friends. Unfortunately, he had been able to pay only one visit to the States, and then he travelled across the vast Continent from New York to San Francisco. What he saw made him wish that he might be fortunate enough to pay another visit to that country.

## A WONDERFUL PRESTIGE.

As to the Honourable Artillery Company, there was no doubt that it had a wonderful prestige. Hardly an Englishman did not know what the letters H.A.C. stood for. In the Great War he had on many occasions seen and admired the Honourable Artillery Company and its work. It had a splendid reputation—second to none. On one occasion, he was deputed by the King to distribute decorations to French officers at Montreaux. Then he had a Guard of Honour of the Honourable Artillery Company, and he believed that three of the officers on parade possessed the Victoria Cross and one the D.S.O.

It had been a great pleasure to see their American friends, and he thought that the periodical visits did an extraordinary amount of good, making all wish to see more of one another. He hoped it would become a recognised custom to exchange visits. We realised that America was our closest friend, and we treated Americans not as foreigners, but as brothers.

"The United States of America" was next submitted, Colonel Cormerais saying that they stood four-square for liberty and justice, and offered the hand of friendship to all throughout the world.

## PEACE AND SELF-DEFENCE.

Mr. Duncan Campbell-Lee responded. The reception accorded to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company made every American feel, he declared, that he had been shown honour by the British folk. He (the speaker) thanked them for their courtesy and hospitality.

It was an organisation for peace and self-defence, and, in the devout spirit of the time, opened and closed its meetings with prayer. Every man in New England was expected to be a soldier for the defence of his family and his town. There could be no finer object for democracy, and they hoped that the fellowship existing between the two national bodies would long endure, and that there would be the closest sympathy between the two countries in seeking the solution of the tremendous problems of to-day.

"The Corporation of the City of London" was the next toast. The Lord Mayor, in response, said it was the particular care of the occupant of his office to keep a watchful eye upon, and assist, if possible, every movement that had for its aim the deepening of friendship and good-feeling between our country and any other.

## CEMENTING THE BONDS.

He did not know of any organisation more helpful in cementing the bonds of friendship between the peoples of England and the United States than the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company. It was a wonderful agency for strengthening the goodwill of the two great English-speaking democratic nations. Our great volunteer Army was first and foremost for the defence of our own land, and he was sure that the members of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, when they saw the Pageant depicting the history of our great London regiment, must have realised that a strong Britain and a strong United States of America would be a great factor towards securing the peace of the world.

"The Commonwealth of Massachusetts" was next toasted, and Lieut. D. N. Staley responded, remarking that New England was the child of Old England, and the greatest Republic in the world paid a tribute of profound respect to the greatest Empire of the world.

## A RETURN VISIT.

Colonel Cahill read a letter from the Mayor of Boston, mentioning that from the Honourable Artillery Company of London had sprung the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, and expressing the earnest desire of the citizens of Boston that in 1938 they would have representatives of the parent Regiment as guests.

The American Ambassador (Mr. R. W. Bingham) sent a letter, which Colonel Cahill read, expressing regret at inability to attend, and sending cordial greetings.

The Chairman also read a cable from comrades in Boston as follows: "Greetings; happy days, and safe return."

In submitting "The Honourable Artillery Company," Colonel Cahill said that those who were instrumental in founding the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company were inspired by what they had known of the Artillery Ground of London

"Artillery Gardens," to use the old term. In the last few days a still closer and better knowledge of the H.A.C. had been gained by the visitors, and admiration of it was increased by greater intimacy.

## BLOOD RELATIONS.

Earl Fortescue responded. They had tried, he said, to emulate the welcome which was given to them by the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company in 1903. The members always thought of their American confederates as friends, comrades, and blood relations.

Anything which was helpful or harmful to Britain was the same to America. Both countries lived up to a code of honour, and the last thing either of them wished for was war. The two nations were the great free peoples of the world, and one of the great proofs of their friendship was the fact that along the Canadian border there was not a single fort or a single soldier. Members of the H.A.C. were looking forward to seeing the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company at home next year, and renewing the friendships formed in the past few days.

## GIFT OF ANCIENT GUNS.

The photograph of a tablet commemorating the gift of two ancient guns for the fort at Plymouth, as mementoes of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, was presented to the Earl of Denbigh.



THE ARTILLERY IN BYGONE DAYS

In accepting the gift, Lord Denbigh said that it was suggested to him in a letter from Colonel Hedges, that it might be possible to obtain two guns of the period. He got the Adjutant of the H.A.C. to skirmish around, and at the repository at Woolwich one gun of Queen Anne's reign and another of a little later date were found. The War Office generously agreed to give the guns to the people of Plymouth, and Colonel Hedges arranged for gun carriages to be erected on the other side. The tablet recorded how the guns were obtained, and he was very pleased to receive the memento. It was one more little link between the two corps.

Captain W. H. Ellis presented to Lord Fortescue a photograph of the original copy of the Charter given to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company in 1638, and pointed out that of the first 28 chartered members, 14 were members of the H.A.C.

Lord Fortescue said that a place for the

## DYERS'

The recently formed Golfing Society of the Company held its summer meeting on Saturday at Cuddington, Banstead. The medal round for the challenge cup presented by the President—Mr. Frederick F. Flinn, Prime Warden—was won by Mr. Maurice W. Tidd, the Captain, with 87-16-71—the donor of a replica to be kept. Second place was shared by Mr. J. H. Hunt (89-11-78) and Mr. Nelson Curtis (91-13-78). The Foursomes in the afternoon were won by Commander C. Tidd and Mr. W. Leuchars, with 31; Mr. Maurice Tidd and Mr. J. H. Hunt taking second place with 29-7-8th. The President occupied the chair at a supper held in the evening.

## GLAZIERS'

The Duke of Kent, who is a member of the Court, will attend the Livery Banquet of the Company at the Mansion House on Thursday, October 28.

## CARMEN'S

Officers for the coming year have been elected as follows: Master, Mr. A. J. Laker; Senior Warden, Mr. E. A. Shadrack; Junior Warden, Mr. W. H. Brown.

## PAVIORS'

The Master, Mr. Milton V. Ely, will unveil to-day at the Baltic the window presented by the Guild; and will be accompanied by the Upper Warden (Sir William Prescott), Alderman Sir Charles Batho, Bt., and Mr. T. G. Marriott. At the close of the ceremony, the visitors will lunch with the directors.

The Lord Chief Justice, a Freeman, has been admitted to the Court. Mr. George W. Harper, an Underwriter of Lloyd's, and Mr. Alfred E. Chandler, of the Anglo-American Oil Company, have been admitted to the Freedom.

interesting memorial would be found at Armoury House.

## THE ORIGINAL INSPIRATION.

Col. Cormerais submitted "The Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company."

Colonel Cahill, in response, said that the Company was originally inspired by the traditions of service which had been gained from the parent Company in England, and the members constantly endeavoured to perpetuate those traditions.

We were living in a peculiar age, and the English-speaking race might well reflect upon its position. For ever the two countries should stand together for all that was right, and for the peace which they so earnestly sought.

In conclusion, he asked Lord Fortescue to accept a gold-framed picture of the first muster of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company on Boston Common in 1638—a replica of the picture in the Armoury at Boston.

Lord Fortescue expressed thanks for the gift, and said that they were delighted to accept the picture for Armoury House.

## THE CITY ENTERTAINS

## GUILDHALL RECEPTION

On Wednesday the City, in its Corporate capacity, paid tribute to the Regiment by giving a reception at Guildhall. The Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress, with the Sheriffs and their ladies, received the guests in the Library. Dancing took place in the Great Hall, a concert in the Council Chamber, and more

## GROCERS'

## The Little Things

The Master, Wardens, and Livery of the Company attended the Election Day service at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, yesterday. The Rector, the Rev. Charles Clark, officiated; and the Master, Mr. C. R. Tabor, read the Lesson.

The Rev. A. O. Daniel, Vicar of Thatcham, and Chaplain to the Master, gave an address. It was, he said, the little things in life that counted. In our ordinary everyday existence, collar-studs, shoe laces, pins, buttons, and so on, added to or detracted from our comfort to a great extent.

## A KISS: A HANDSHAKE.

In our relationship with others, the little things also counted. A kiss, a handshake, how much they expressed. Similarly, in our relation to God, it was the little things—flowers, buds, blades of grass—that He used to prove His love for us. When He wanted to make His greatest appeal, He used a little child.

To-day it was the same. A little drop of water, two hands, a piece of bread, a drop of wine—all little things, but how much they meant.

Those present included: The Master, the Wardens (Mr. Philip Frere, the Hon. Geoffrey Gibbs, and Mr. G. Maurice Beaufoy), Major W. Hamilton Pott, Major W. W. Grantham, K.C., L.C.C., Mr. F. A. Roberts, Lieut.-Col. Sir Edward Barry, Bt., Col. Ralph K. Harvey, Mr. Egerton Hensley, Mr. J. Hughes Drake, Mr. Laurence Tufnell, Mr. H. M. Beaufoy, Major L. M. E. Dent, Mr. F. W. S. Roberts, the Clerk (Mr. Hickman Barnes), Mr. A. Charles Knight, J.P., C.C. (Churchwarden) and Mr. H. McClintock Harris (Vestry Clerk).

Officers as follows were afterwards appointed: Master Mr. Philip Frere; Wardens, Mr. G. M. Beaufoy, the Hon. Geoffrey Gibbs, and Mr. F. W. S. Roberts.

The Court granted the use of the Hall on Monday for a dinner given by the Federation of British Industries to the Japan Economic Mission.

## LEATHERSELLERS'

The officers elected for the year ensuing are as follows: Master, Mr. Harry Collison; Wardens, Mr. H. J. Furneaux, Mr. C. C. Palmer and Col. H. R. Pettit. The installation will take place on Wednesday.

The Master of the Company, Mr. F. J. Nettlefold, opened a new ward at the Banstead Boys' Surgical Home a few days ago. Lady Ebbisham, Chairman of the Home, presided, and Alderman Lord Ebbisham was also present.

## BREWERS'

The newly-elected officers are as follows: Master, Mr. William H. Whitbread; Wardens, Mr. Edwin J. Venner, Mr. Geoffrey Mark Crossman, and Commander R. W. McGrath.

The annual swan-upping—marking the swans owned by the King, the Vintners' Company, and the Dyers' Company—will begin on Monday.

The Vintners' Company has sent a donation of £10 to the Royal United Kingdom Beneficent Association.

## A CITY CLUB RAIDED

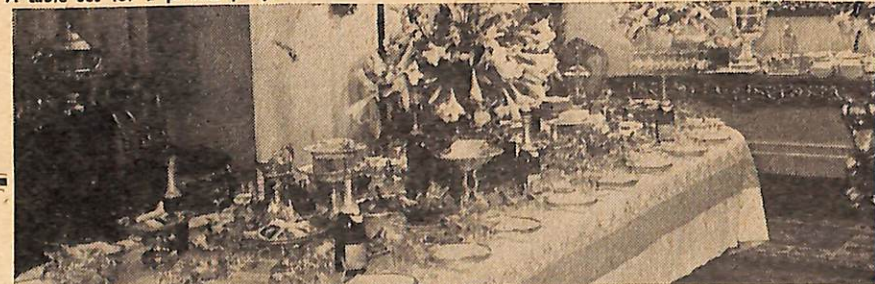
Colonel, Alderman, and Sheriff - Elect Eaton, sitting at the Guildhall, imposed a fine of £50, with fifteen guineas costs, on Cecil Asher, secretary of the Colonial Club, London Wall Avenue, for keeping a room at the Club for the purpose of betting. Mrs. Nellie Gladys Asher, a stewardess, was fined £10; and Harry Edward Garrard, a clerk, and Leonard Robert White, the manager, were each ordered to pay £5 for assisting in the management. Counsel for defendants stated that the Club was a highly reputable one, and the members merely betted among themselves. No breach of the Betting Act had been committed. Detective-Inspector John Hallows admitted that "by far the great majority of the members were of excellent character and reputation." In view of this statement, the Alderman did not disqualify the premises.

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# Mayor's and City of London Court

(Before Judge A. RALPH THOMAS.)

## ALLEGED WRONGFUL DISMISSAL

### A SILK TRAVELLER'S CLAIM

Mr. Henry Ernest Lewis Rogers, commercial traveller, 7a, Royal Parade, Ealing, sued John C. Rodcliffe, Ltd., silk manufacturers, 33, Old Change, to recover damages for alleged wrongful dismissal.

Counsel for plaintiff said that, owing to the seasonal nature of the industry, it was fairly recognised that a three months' notice was reasonable for a traveller on a salary and commission basis.

Mr. Rogers, Mr. Rodcliffe, and Mr. R. P. Smith (the company's secretary) gave evidence.

The Judge said that plaintiff's case was that he was engaged as a traveller at £360 per annum, plus 1 per cent. commission. Defendants said that it was definitely agreed that the employment should be merely a trial employment for six months. That depended entirely on the evidence of Mr. Rodcliffe, and he (the Judge) was not prepared to accept it. He did not think there was any term that it should be subject to six months' trial. A time came when it was obvious to all that plaintiff was not able to get a satisfactory turnover. At an interview in April, Mr. Rodcliffe said that was the end of the six months, and the arrangement could not continue; but his Lordship was not satisfied that that had reference to any limit of time, except as an accounting period. Plaintiff then asked, "Will you give me a month's notice?" and Mr. Rodcliffe, after hesitating, said, "Yes; I am agreeable to that." Subsequently, it occurred to plaintiff that he really was entitled, if he stood on his rights, to three months' notice. He then raised the point, and that was how the action arose.

### WAS THERE CONSIDERATION?

Counsel interrupted his Lordship to take the point that, assuming that the incident took place, it must be an agreement for which there was no consideration flowing between the parties. Therefore it would be bad, and plaintiff would be entitled to three months' notice.

His Lordship replied that his recollection was that Mr. Rodcliffe said that it was to terminate at the end of the month.

Counsel for defendants interpolated that that was the "consideration" — allowing him to go on working for another month.

His Lordship said that that was the position. Mr. Rodcliffe was saying that the arrangement would have to cease at the end of the month, and Mr. Rogers, rather than have any dispute about the matter, asked for, was allowed to go on working for, and was paid for a month.

So far as the claim for damages for wrongful dismissal was concerned, the plaintiff failed, and there would be judgment on the action for defendants, with costs. There would, however, be judgment for the plaintiff for such costs as related to the issue of the account, with appropriate set-off, up to June 22—until which date a proper account was not delivered.

Replying to Counsel, the Judge said that any claim in respect of further orders would have to be preferred later.

Mr. Herbert Shanly (instructed by

### LAW SOCIETY

The President (Sir Hubert Dowson), the Vice-President (Mr. F. E. J. Smith), and the Council of the Society entertained a distinguished company at dinner at the Hall, Chancery Lane, a few evenings ago. Among the guests were Sir Lynden Macassey, K.C., Deputy Sir Banister Fletcher, P.P.R.I.B.A., Dr. Stanley Bousfield, Mr. John D. Botterell, Mr. H. S. Syrett, LL.B., C.C., and Mr. R. C. Nesbitt. Messrs. Carpenter served the banquet.

The Council of the Law Society, on the initiative of Mr. C. L. Nordon, Regis House, King William Street, have been instructed to consider the advisability of holding monthly meetings of members at the Hall, the President or a member of the Council presiding, for the discussion of subjects of professional importance.

Acting on the recommendation of the Legal Education Committee, the Council of the Society have awarded the two following studentships:

Class A (candidates under 19 years of age).—Mr. Guy Maurice Bratt (educated at Merchant Taylors' School, and the Law Society's School).

Class B (candidates with not less than three years' articles to serve from June 1).—Mr. Duncan Gerald John Millington (educated at St. Paul's School, and the Law Society's School).

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Messrs. H. H. Wells and Sons) appeared for plaintiff; and Mr. A. F. Engelbach (instructed by Messrs. H. Boustred and Sons) for defendants.

### BILL OF COSTS

Messrs. Leonard Tubbs and Co., solicitors, Moorgate Station Chambers, sued Mr. Ernest Leonard Hayes, 859, Forest Road, Walthamstow, for £17 for professional services.

Defendant did not dispute the fact that he employed the plaintiffs in connection with an action he was proposing to institute; but raised the defence that they required cash in advance, and procured it from him for all services rendered. As he failed to supply further money, they compelled him to discontinue their services.

The papers in the action and certain correspondence were produced to and inspected by the Judge.

Plaintiffs' representative agreed that, after a point covered by the correspondence up to January 18, costs of less than £1 had been incurred. They would be content, it was added, not to charge anything beyond that date.

The Judge intimated that it was quite obvious, from the correspondence and defendant's admissions, that, although plaintiffs informed him that they could not

go on doing work without making sure that they were going to be paid for it, they nevertheless did so, with defendant's knowledge, up to January 18. In those circumstances there was no answer at all to the claim up to that date, and there must be judgment accordingly—the costs to be taxed.

### A COMPROMISE

Trinidad Leaseholds, Ltd., 1, London Wall Buildings, sued Mr. Reginald Ironmickendam, 12, Montpelier Road, W.5, for £26 0s. 10d., alleged to be balance of account due for petrol supplied in 1935. The defence was that the account had been settled.

Defendant said that he held a final statement of account, duly receipted, showing that the amount had been paid. Before the last transaction on the receipted account, he had a dispute about a previous item of the same amount. He maintained that it had been paid, but plaintiffs denied that. When he got the receipt, he pointed out to plaintiffs' manager that they had now evidently accepted his contention as correct. Some months later, however, he received further demands for the same amount. Meanwhile the company for whom he had bought had been transferred, and he could not trace the cheques, some of which had been paid out of his own private account.

Plaintiffs' accountant explained that the difficulty over the first item of £26 0s. 10d. arose in consequence of the account to that amount being overdue. When that occurred, such accounts were transferred to a "legal ledger" for debt collection purposes. This occurred at a busy period, and when the staff was depleted. Subsequently the transferred amount was overlooked.

The Judge said that after this lapse of time, it was almost impossible to get at the true position. That was apparently due to the method of transferring accounts. In all the circumstances, he thought that the proper course was for plaintiffs to compromise, as defendant had expressed his willingness to do.

Plaintiffs' solicitor (Mr. Drake, of Messrs. Reynolds, Miles, Barnes, and Drake) subsequently intimated to his Lordship that the parties had agreed to adopt his Lordship's suggestion—defendant to pay half the amount claimed, together with half the scale costs; the case to be adjourned generally on those terms.

## ASKE'S HATCHAM SCHOOL

### FOUNDER'S DAY

Founder's Day was observed at the Haberdashers' Aske's School, Hatcham, on Saturday. A service was held in the morning, the Vicar, the Rev. David Sykes, officiating, and Canon Raven, Regius Professor of Divinity at Cambridge University, preaching. Taking as his text the words, "I am come that ye might have life, and might have it more abundantly," the Canon expressed the view that those words should be written over every school and church in the land, for they told the purpose for which those institutions existed—that life might abound more fully in them.

From Aske's School there had come an unending succession of men qualified to serve God in Church and State. They joined in thanks to God for the foundation of the School, but the boys should not omit from their thanks the present governing body and staff, and their own parents.

### WHAT FELLOWSHIP MEANS

Every school, continued the Canon, should turn out young people full of life, and every boy should leave having before him a vision on which he could steer his course. Having found that vision, he would find service. "You have to make yourselves captains of your own lives before you can discover that you own your life in order to give it away again in service. Then you will know what fellowship means. It is not for nothing that the 'team spirit' is said to be so important in schools."

Luncheon followed the service. Mr. E. H. Goddard, the Headmaster, stated that Canon Raven was fifth in a line of distinguished preachers on Founder's Day. They had had three Canons and a School Chaplain, and the last-named had since become a Bishop. He warmly welcomed the members of the Old Askean Club who were present.

The President, Mr. A. Swinton Vaughan, replied.

In the afternoon a match was played between the First Eleven of the School and the old Askean First Eleven, a draw resulting. The scores were: Old Askeans, 114; School, 92 for eight wickets.

### CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT

Joseph Stephens, motor driver, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude for receiving a quantity of stolen furs. The offence was committed in November, and accused was only arrested in May.

The Lord Mayor opened the July Session of the Court on Tuesday, and was accompanied on the Bench by the Recorder, Sheriff Sir Charles McRea, C.C., Alderman Sir George Wilkinson, Mr. Under-Sheriff H. W. Morris, C.C., and the Secondary.

## AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS

### Langbourn Ward's Committee

Sir Alfred Bower, Bt., the Alderman of the Ward, presided over a meeting held yesterday in Langbourn to consider the question of Air Raid Precautions.

The Alderman pointed out that the provision of protection in the event of a gas attack rested in the end with the citizen. It was a matter in which the Corporation and the Government could only assist. In Moscow every child, despite having no shoes to its feet, had a gas mask round its neck!

Major Godfrey Martin, D.S.O., C.C., said that Mr. Brundle, the Chairman of the Corporation Air Raids Precautions Committee, had come to explain the method by which the protection was to be obtained. The suggestion before the meeting now was the appointment of a Committee to represent the Ward and to co-operate with the Corporation Committee.

### ONLY SEVEN MINUTES.

Mr. F. W. Brundle explained that, in the event of a raid, the warning received would come only a very short time before the actual attack. With modern bombers, the time between their crossing the coast and being over London would be only seven minutes, so that all preparations would have to be made in time of peace, and could not wait until the attack actually came.

There were three kinds of bomb which might be dropped from aircraft—high explosive, incendiary, and gas. Little could be done about the first, as a great thickness of concrete was necessary to withstand such a weapon. The fire resulting from the dropping of incendiary bombs would be dealt with by the London Fire Brigade, who had made preparations. That left the gas bomb to be guarded against, or, as an alternative, liquid gas sprayed from the air.

### NINE MILLION GAS MASKS.

Nine million gas masks were stored in London for issue, and the public would quickly receive them in any emergency. Everyone would have a mask provided at that time. The reason why they had not been issued already was that they had to be stored under proper conditions to prevent deterioration.

The Corporation's part in the defence consisted of decontamination, and the provision of medical services. With regard to the first, the Corporation already had its streets' staff trained for the purpose. Three first aid stations and fifteen depots would have to be provided for medical services. The staff needed for that was a minimum of one thousand. There would be no expense for the volunteers, who would be trained in the City.

After the holiday it was proposed to call a meeting of the Ward Committees at Guildhall in order to lay down uniform lines of action.

The Committee was then elected as follows, the members having offered to serve: Mr. F. W. A. Bird, 29, Fenchurch Street; Mr. C. B. Buxton, 9, Clement's Lane; Mr. Henry Tanner, 134, Fenchurch Street; Mr. W. F. B. Nott, 9, Clement's Lane; Mr. E. J. Purnell, Post Office Court; Mr. Kenneth W. Elms, 5, Fenchurch Street; Mr. F. M. S. Winand, 4, Cullum Street; Mr. H. V. Mason, 4, Cullum Street; and Mr. F. C. Butcher, 5, Fen Court.

A vote of thanks to the Alderman and Mr. Brundle was accorded on the proposal of Mr. H. W. Quarrell, seconded by Mr. B. S. Dunn, C.C.

D. S. Campbell, a storekeeper in the Cleansing Department of the Corporation, has been awarded a certificate as a First-Class Instructor in civilian anti-gas precautions; and has been granted by the Court of Common Council a gratuity of fifty guineas for the services he has rendered in the training of 165 volunteers of the staff of the Department.

### THE LADY MAYORESS

The Lady Mayoress gave a dance for her daughter, Miss Marjorie Broadbridge, at the Mansion House on Monday. Dinner-hostesses included Mary, Countess of Clancarty, Mrs. Wyndham Clark, Lady Cohen, Mrs. Walter Duncan, Mrs. Lindsay Everard, Mrs. Patrick Hadow, the Hon. Mrs. Eric Butler Henderson, Lady Heron-Maxwell, Mrs. Hodder-Williams, Mrs. Howey, Lady McClean, Mrs. David Michaelis, Mrs. Ralph Philipson, Mrs. Richmond, Lady Royds, Mrs. D. Sassoon, and Lady Turnbull.

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**AT STATE GUARD MANEUVERS**—Members of Special Headquarters and Service Company of the State Guard (Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company), spread out to avoid "strafing" attack from plane flown by Maj. Earl Boardman at field maneuvers in West Newbury yesterday.

## ANCIENTS, IN STATE GUARD ROLE, MANEUVER AT WEST NEWBURY

WEST NEWBURY, June 21—Training for the wartime defense of the state, the First Special Headquarters and Service Company, Massachusetts State Guard, held field maneuvers today on lofty Illsley hill.

The company, consisting of members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, held a joint exercise with the First Observation Squadron, which practiced strafing, observation and panel signaling during a simulated air attack.

The Ancients performed like well trained soldiers, as they threw themselves on the ground to avoid observation by a strafing plane, and when they attacked with fixed bayonets. In charge of the detachment were Capt. Lewis C. Adams and Lt. Joseph V. Hughes.

The four platoons were under command of Lt. John C. O'Neil, Lt. E. A. Hudson, Lt. E. J. Kane and Capt. William Basch. The officers of the medical detachment were Lt. Raymond F. Rauscher and Lt. Willis W. Grinnell. The plane from the First Observation Squadron was piloted by Maj. Earl Boardman, with Lt. John Polando as navigator and Lt. Chares A. Malley as observer.

Maj. Boardman spotted the troops hidden by the trees after the first warning of the approaching plane was received. The plane soared over

the hilltop twice to simulate strafing, and an exhibition of panel signaling was given by the ground crew under Capt. Harold C. Bean and Lt. Richard A. Berenson.

The company of Ancients was accompanied by Lt. Col. George E. Perkins, medical officer of the First Corps Area headquarters, as an observer. Tech. Sergt. Harold R. West of the First Corps Area, was detailed by the Army as instructor. Accompanying the detachment from Boston by convoy were the present commander of the Ancients, Capt. Frederick K. Rogers, and Past Commander Albert E. Roberts.

### State Guard to Honor Maj Adams, Newton

A dinner will be tendered Maj Louis C. Adams, MSG, of Newton tomorrow evening at the Hotel Touraine by the Special Headquarters and Service Company, MSG, to celebrate his promotion to Division Headquarters, 2d Division, commandant.



Maj Adams

Army Air Corps, recently the recipient of the Distinguished Flying Cross.

—MONDAY, JULY 3, 1944

### Maj Louis C. Adams, Newton, Promoted to Lieutenant Colonel

NEWTON, July 2—Word has been received here of the promotion of Maj Louis C. Adams Jr., 27-year-old air executive officer of a B-24



Liberator group with the 8th Air Force in England, to the rank of lieutenant colonel. He is the son of Louis C. Adams of 227 Waltham st., West Newton, well known executive of Gilman Brothers, wholesale druggists, a captain in the State Guard and former

commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

Lt Col Adams, a veteran of several missions over occupied continental Europe since his arrival in England six weeks ago, is holder of the Air Medal which was presented to him last December in Florida. He entered the service in June, 1937, just after graduating from Brown University where he played hockey, soccer and football. He received his preliminary training at Randolph and Kelly Fields, and was stationed for a time at Savannah, Ga.



SEPTEMBER 17,



**DECORATED** — Lt.-Col. Louis C. Adams, Jr., of West Newton, son of former commanding officer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, who has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement while serving as air commander with heavy bombardment group of the Eighth Air Force.

## DFC Awarded Lt. Col. Adams, Jr.

Lt.-Col. Louis C. Adams, Jr., of West Newton, son of Capt. Louis C. Adams, former commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, according to word received last night from England.

Col. Adams, assigned to the 14th combat wing of the Eighth Air Force, was given the citation "for extraordinary achievement while serving as air commander of heavy bombardment formations on many missions to enemy occupied territory."

In a recent letter to his father, who now is with the headquarters unit of the second division of the Massachusetts State Guard, Col. Adams disclosed that he was assigned to the same living quarters in England with Maj. Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, who was first lieutenant under Capt. Adams when the latter was commanding officer of the Ancients.

The younger Adams is 28. He was graduated from Brown University and became an air cadet in 1937. His wife is living in San Antonio, Tex.



# Ancients' Parade Witnessed by Street Crowds

It's the Ancients' Day in Boston today.

That celebrated military organization, officially known down through the past 304 years as the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts open the traditional observance of its birthday early this afternoon.

Although the nation is now engaged in a titanic struggle to defeat the Axis and over 75 members of the patriotic organization are now doing their part in the armed forces, the veterans who remain, joined by distinguished statesmen, officers of the Army and Navy on duty in this area, and visiting delegations from various parts of New England, are conducting the events in the scheduled order just as has been the case in the years gone by. A full day of activity has been planned.

The parade, always a great feature of this occasion, was formed outside the Armory at Faneuil Hall and at 1 p. m. the signal to move was given and the martial airs rose on the breezes in downtown Boston.

Luncheon goers and noonday shoppers were thrilled as Boston's "finest," mounted on charges, moved into State st. and headed along Washington st., followed by the colorful organizations.

Lieut. Col. Henry D. Cormerais, in charge of the visiting delegations, marched along at the head of the group. The United Train of Artillery Veterans from Newport, R. I., was first in the line of visiting organizations. The Worcester Continentals followed.

Before the historic company came along a group of 63 members, who have formed a State Guard Company, held a place of honor. The State Guardsmen wore the uniform of khaki, discarding the blue dress uniform for the duration of the war. In this unit were buck privates and privates first class who served as officers in World War I. Many of them are on the retired officer rolls of the United States Army or Navy and expect calls to active duty. Only this past week eight members of the unit were called back to active service. It was the first public appearance of the company, formed under orders of Gov. Saltonstall last year. Given a special mission by the commander-in-chief of the state military forces, it comes directly under orders from the Adjutant General and is not affiliated with any other regiment in the State Guard.

The crowds along the streets, especially in Newspaper Row, where hundred were watching the latest news results on the Globe bulletin boards, greeted the marchers with cheers.

For the first time in year sabers were not carried by the marchers as they have been eliminated by the Regular Army for the duration.

The parade swung into School st., from Washington st., and Mayor Maurice J. Tobin was escorted from City Hall to a place of honor in the line. A detachments of the company moved past Gov. Saltonstall at the State House and then counter marched. The Governor, who has been a member of the organization for the past 17 years, took his place in the line between the Infantry and the Artillery wings of the Ancient's company directly ahead of the colors.

The parade then moved along Tremont st. to Boylston st. and thence to Copley sq.

At the New Old South Church at Dartmouth and Boylston sts., the annual memorial services took place. Rev. Roelif H. Brooks, D.D., rector of St. Thomas' Church, New York city, a lieutenant colonel in the Army, gave the invocation. The death roll was read. Special music followed and then Rev. Dr. Brook preached the memorial sermon. The services closed with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

The parade then reformed and marched back to Boston Common for the drumhead election.

Earlier in the day the officers of the company, Capt. Louis C. Adams, Lieut. Eugene A. Hudson and Lieut. Andrew Eiler, were awakened at the sounding of reveille in Copley sq. At 11 o'clock the captain and his staff marched from Park sq. to the burying grounds at Tremont and School sts., where short impressive memorial exercises were held.

The visiting guests, including members of the various organizations, gathered for a buffet lunch in Faneuil Hall at 11 o'clock. Immediately after lunch the parade was formed in the streets in the vicinity of the historic hall. Capt. William H. Ellis was officer of the day. Officers of the guard included Sergt. Irving R. Snow and Sergt. George H. Stauch. Assisting Col. Cormerais were Adj. Maj. Walter W. Austin, Sergt. Maj. Storrs L. Durkee and Medical Officer Lieut. Philip A. Sheridan.



**READY FOR ANCIENTS PARADE**—Gasoline-conscious members and guests of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company drive in open barouches to Faneuil Hall for the start of the annual parade.

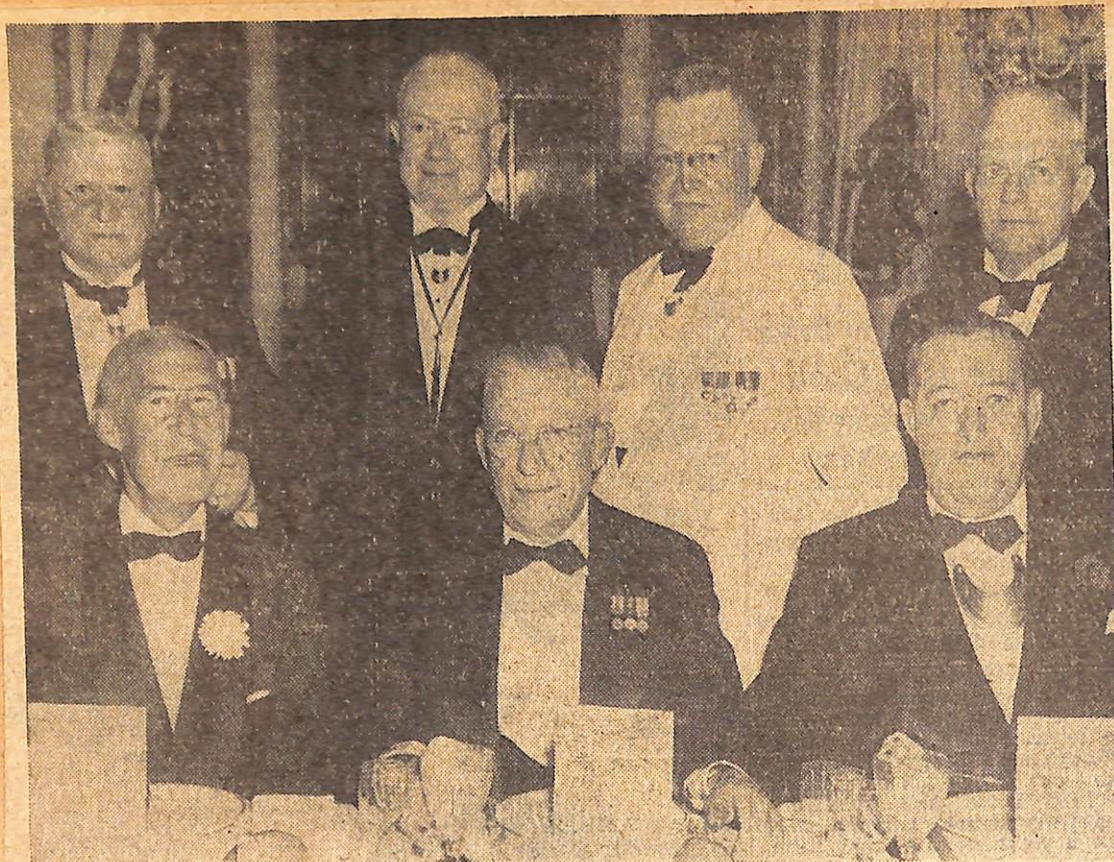
ernors Foot Guard of Hartford, Worcester, Mass.; Thomas Burnett Conn.; Second Company Governors Foot Guard of New Haven, Conn.; Fusiliers Veteran Association; National Lancers; Putnam Phalanx, Hartford, Conn.; Salem Light Infantry Veteran Association; Second Corps of Cadet Veterans Association; First Light Infantry Reg., R. I.; First Light Infantry Veterans, R. I.; Kentish Guards, East Greenwich, R. I.; Amoskeag Veterans of Manchester, N. H.; Varnums Continentals of East Greenwich, R. I.; Lexington Minute Men, Lexington, Mass.; Worcester City Guard Veterans,



**TRADITIONAL DRUM HEAD ELECTION** of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company is shown being conducted yesterday on Boston Common.



SEPTEMBER 20, 1942



**HONORABLE ARTILLERY OFFICERS**—Members of the Society of Past Commanders of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, dining at the Copley Plaza Hotel last night included, front row, Frederic W. Cook, Capt. Louis C. Adams, Capt. Fred K. Rogers, and, rear row, Gen. Walter S. Lombard, Capt. Clarence J. McKenzie, Col. Henry Cormerais and Capt. Justin A. Duncan.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1942



**GUESTS AT WAGGERMAN LUNCHEON** given at the City Club yesterday to Maj. Enalls Waggerman of Washington, national commander of the Military Order of the World War, posed with him in this picture. Left to right are Comdr. H. A. Ellis, U. S. N., Ret., Lt. Arthur C. Sullivan, president of the Army and Navy Club, Capt. Alan C. Virtue, commander of the Greater Boston chapter of the Order; Maj. Waggerman; Capt. Louis C. Adams of the Ancients and Lt.-Col. John J. Donovan of the First Service Command.



# Navy Veteran Tells Ancients Jap Conquest Seems at Limit

The cheering opinion that Japan had reached the southern and western limits of her aggressive expansion was voiced last night by Capt. Chauncey Shackford, U. S. N., veteran of 42 years' naval service who represented Rear Admiral William T. Tarrant at the 304th annual dinner of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in the Copley Plaza Hotel.

Capt. Shackford, whose comment was not official, warned against any belief that Japan had made her Pacific gains cheaply. His estimate was, moreover, that Japan had lost 800,000 tons of her initial 2,500,000 tons of naval and shipping strength. "She is losing ships faster than she can replace them," he said. "Therefore, I personally feel that Japan has gone as far to the south as she is going and I have no fear for Australia and New Zealand. Japan cannot afford to attack those two countries."

"Again, she has gone as far to the west as she is going, I believe. I have no fear for India. Japan cannot afford to send troops any farther from home." He warned, however, that the allies had a long way to go and a hard task to perform. They will have many heartaches, he said, and must be prepared for them.

Capt. Shackford addressed a gathering that numbered many men distinguished in the military, naval and civilian forces of this country and Canada.

The dinner followed the company's observance of its 304th anniversary, featured by the traditional parade and the annual drumhead election on Boston Common, which promoted Lt. Fred J. Rogers of Quincy to captaincy and command of the nation's oldest military organization.

Raymond F. Rauchser of Lynn was elected first lieutenant and John C. Brink of Newton second lieutenant at the time-honored ceremony conducted before Capt. Louis C. Adams, who retired as command-

ing officer and presided at last night's dinner.

That more than 1000 men trained in Canada's great flight training schools took part in "blasting Cologne from the map of Europe" Saturday was asserted proudly by Maj. Charles G. Power, minister of Dominion defense for air, in his response to the toast, "Our Allies."

He revealed that thousands of products of the vast British "Commonwealth Training Plan", skilled as pilots, navigators, radiomen and bombardiers, were now trooping overseas, long before the scheduled completion of their courses.

Capt. Shackford warned against propaganda and gossip which he said undermined and unnerved the people of this country, and commended the "Rumor Clinic" which appears weekly in The Sunday Herald as an agency that opposed such influences.

"Disregard and forget when this war is going to end," he urged. "No one knows. The only man who will want to know is Mr. Hitler. Take the word 'peace' out of your vocabulary for a little while. We can't fight a war and think of peace at the same time."

"I want to see us fight what I call complete war. I mean a war that's going to end all wars. If the allied armies had marched into Berlin at the end of the last war, and if the judgment of our statesmen of that day had not been warped by other considerations, I wonder if this war would be in progress today?"

## ARMY TOAST

"The destruction and annihilation of the enemy are our missions at the moment. Let's march into Berlin and march into Tokio, not forgetting to march into Rome at the same time."

The Army toast proposed by the company adjutant, Maj. Frederic E. Pereira, coast artilleryman who flew from Virginia for the occasion, was responded to by Brig.-Gen. Thomas

E. Troland, U.S.A., representing Maj.-Gen. Sherman Miles.

Responses for the Commonwealth and the City of Boston were made, respectively, by Gov. Saltonstall, a member of the Ancients, and Mayor Tobin. That for the Fourth Estate was made by Bill Cunningham, Herald columnist.

Music for the dinner was provided by an orchestra of members, with a sparkling bit of drumming contributed by 82-year-old Capt. Frank L. Nagle of Newton, a drummer in the Spanish-American war who was commanding officer of the Ancients in 1925.

Other officers elected at the drum-head session were: Sergeants of Infantry, Bernard S. McHugh of Watertown, James M. Denning of Chelsea, Robert F. Parsons of Newton, Harold W. Varney of Marblehead, Paul K. McGrath of Needham and Edward T. McShane of Manchester, N. H.; sergeants of artillery, Harold T. Grace of Boston, Joseph W. Bergin of Boston, Allan R. Kingston of Somerville, Charles W. Grinnell of Arlington, Alexander D. Varkas of Belmont and Malcolm D. Bennett of Winchester.

Quartermaster, Maj. William H. Wilson, U. S. Army of Somerville; commissary officer, Lt. George W. Thornburg, U. S. Army of Newton; paymaster, Lt. George E. Hall, U. S. Army of Needham; assistant paymaster, Lt. Rudolph Wisner, U. S. Army of Roslindale; and clerk, Lt. William E. Crosby, U. S. Army of Newton.

# Ancients Hold 304th Annual Fete Monday

## State Guard Uniform To Be Worn by 63 in Parade to Common

Sixty-three members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will swing along Tremont street Monday, for the 304th annual field day on Boston Common, in the uniform of the State Guard, instead of the plumes and gold trimmings of the Western Hemisphere's oldest military organization, it was learned last night.

It will be the first public appearance of the first special headquarters and service company of the State Guard, a unit made up exclusively of members of the "Ancients," since Gov. Saltonstall requested their mobilization five months ago.

## TO ELECT LEADER

Unless the new company is ordered to active duty before that time, its officers and men will participate with other members of the artillery company in their traditional drum head election on the Common. At that time a new commanding officer of the older organization will be chosen to succeed Capt. Louis C. Adams, who will devote his full time as commander of the new special headquarters and service company.

Equipped and trained for a call to active duty besides the headquarters section are four platoons, comprising transportation, commissary, engineers and medical. Not since Shay's rebellion in 1837 has the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company seen active duty.

Among the members of the "Ancients," as most Boston residents already know, are many prominent and substantial citizens of the Commonwealth. The Governor has been a member for 17 years and there always has been a Saltonstall in it since it was known as the Train Band in 1637.

It was with this thought in mind that Adj.-Gen. Edgar C. Erickson and other state officials called on the Ancients to organize a reserve company of the State Guard. In its transportation platoon are experts on transportation, including those who own great fleets of taxi cabs, private cars and trucks. Obviously they would be of great value in the event of enemy attack on Boston or any other part of the state.

## COMMISSARY PLATOON

In the commissary platoon are men who have built up substantial business enterprises in the catering, hotel, food and produce industries. Their help would be welcome if we were faced with the task of feeding thousands of refugees or the homeless.

In the engineers platoon are men who have built sizeable contracting, construction and architectural firms or are employed in such firms in high executive capacities.

Prominent medical men, as well as pharmacists and wholesale druggists, are in the medical platoon. Capt. Adams himself holds an important position in one of the largest wholesale drug firms in this part of the country. All of their knowledge of drugs, in addition to their ability to command enormous supplies of such vital things, would be invaluable if there were casualties on a large scale.

Under Capt. Adams in the headquarters section are Lt. Joseph V. Hughes, Sergts. Girard Jones and Armand E. Perrault, Corp. James M. Denning and Leo Bourdon, Clarence McKenzie and Justin Duncan.

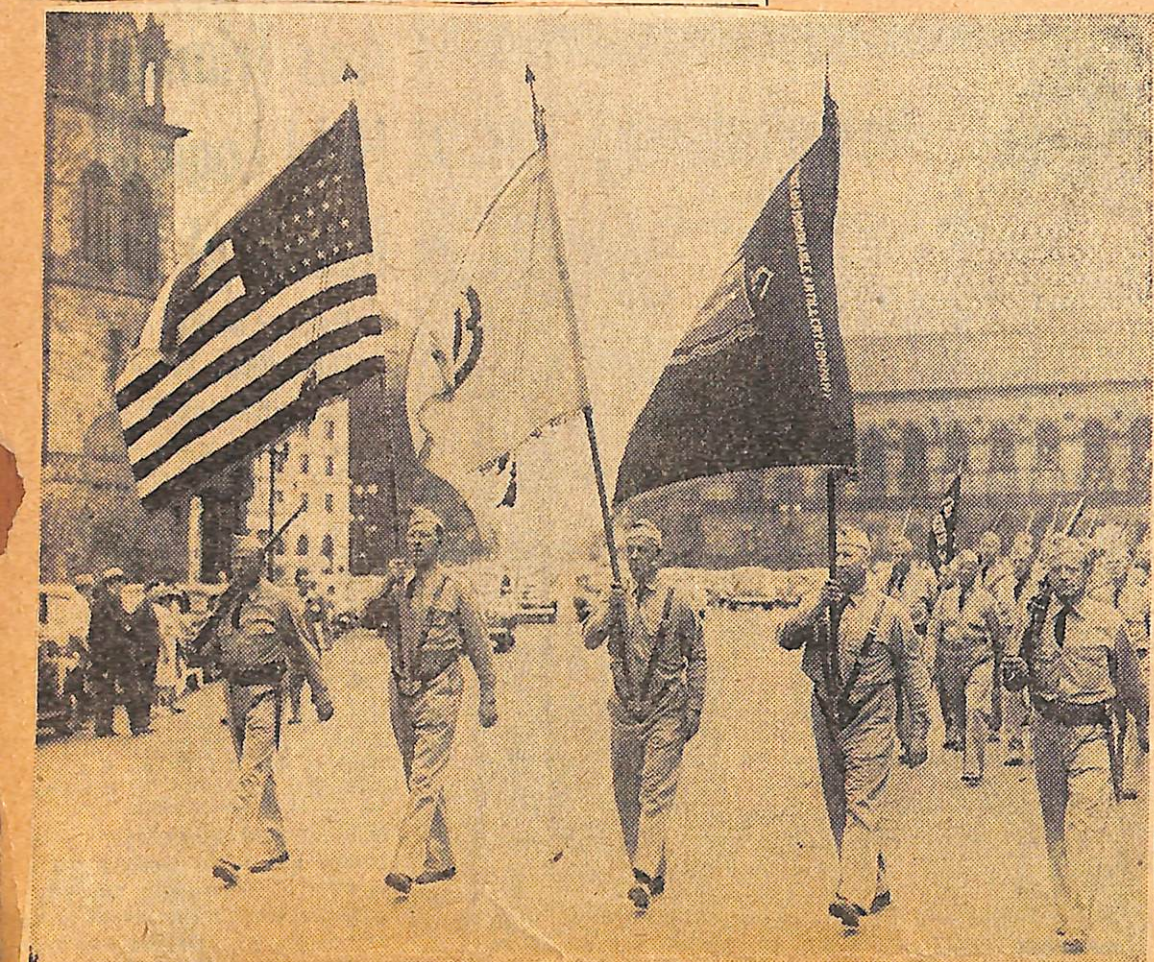
In the transportation platoon, headed by Lt. John O'Neill, are Sergts. N. Russell Lynn and Edward Spry, Corp. John Devine and Irving Shaw, Paul McGrath, Ernest Bessette, Stephen Hannon, Harry Ford, Alexander Varkas, Fred Marshall, Edwin Ofgart, Harry Bosquett, Earl Lamprey and Malcolm McBride.

In the commissary platoon, led by Lt. Eugene Hudson, are Sergts. Charles Malley and Lawrence Squires, Corp. James Bagley and Rob Roy Rector, Ralph Colley, Charles Dawe, Ernest Rich and Harold Varney.

In the engineers platoon, commanded by Lt. Edward Kane, are Sergts. Charles Mitchell and Gideon Sawyer, Corps. Charles Robison, Edward Voss and Harvey Legee and Patrick McGinnis, Thomas McGinnis, Paul Jackson, John Brink, Louis Hoffman, Henry Turner, Harry Adams, Joseph Argus, Paul Richenburgh, Harold McAdoo, Joseph Grinnell-Coxwell and Frank Verrochi.

In the medical platoon, led by Capt. William E. R. Basch, are Lts. Willis Grinnell and Roy Rauscher, Sergts. John McTavish, Ichabod Bunker and Joseph Parsons and George Strauch, Charles Grinnell, William Crosby, Malcolm Bennett, Sidney Hoffman, Joseph Bergin and Vincent Tedesco.

The remaining members of the Ancients will parade, but they will wear somber, blue uniforms of the so-called service type. The gorgeous uniforms, as well as the plumes, are out for the duration.



**THREE FLAGS UNFURLED** for Boston's Flag Day parade yesterday were Old Glory, the banner of the commonwealth and the standard of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company as the line swung through Copley square on its way to exercises on the common.



# Rogers Heads Ancients

## Quincy Man Named In Election

Lt. Fred J. Rogers of Quincy was elected captain of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston today as the military organization, oldest in the U. S., climaxed its 304th anniversary celebration with the annual drum head election on Boston Common.

Raymond F. Rauchser of Lynn was elected first lieutenant and John C. Brink of Newton second lieutenant by the members who dropped their votes on a drum on the Common before Capt. Louis C. Adams, who retired as commanding officer.

### MORE SOMBER GARB

The election followed memorial services at the Old South Church on Boylston street and the annual parade from company headquarters in Faneuil Hall to the church. The war's influence was evidenced in the parade as company members left at home their colorful uniforms with plumes and gold trimming to wear the more somber regular army, state guard, and blue service uniforms of the organization.

Other officers elected at the drum head session were: Sergeants of infantry, Bernard S. McHugh of Waverly, James M. Denning of Chelsea, Robert R. Parsons of Newton, Harold V. Varney of Marblehead, Paul K. McGrath of Needham and Edward T. McShane of Manchester, N. H.; sergeants of artillery, Harold T. Grace of Boston, Joseph W. Bergin of Boston, Allan R. Kingston of Somerville, Charles W. Grinnell of Arlington, Alexander D. Varkas of Belmont and Malcolm D. Bennett of Winchester.

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Both Gov. Saltonstall and Mayor Tobin were in the parade from Faneuil Hall to the church, the governor joining it at the State House, and Mayor Tobin, at City Hall.

### ACTIVE SERVICE GROUPS

Sixty-three members of the company marched in state guard uniforms as members of the Guard's first special headquarters and service company. They were led by Lt. Joseph V. Hughes. The parade marked their first public appearance.

Also in line were two batteries of the 101st Field Artillery Battalion, 26 Infantry Division, from Camp Edwards. Their trucks drew 75 millimeter field pieces.

Much of the color was furnished by 18 units of the Centennial Legion, representing early colonial military organizations from eastern U. S. states.

On horseback were members of another old Massachusetts military organization, the National Lancers.

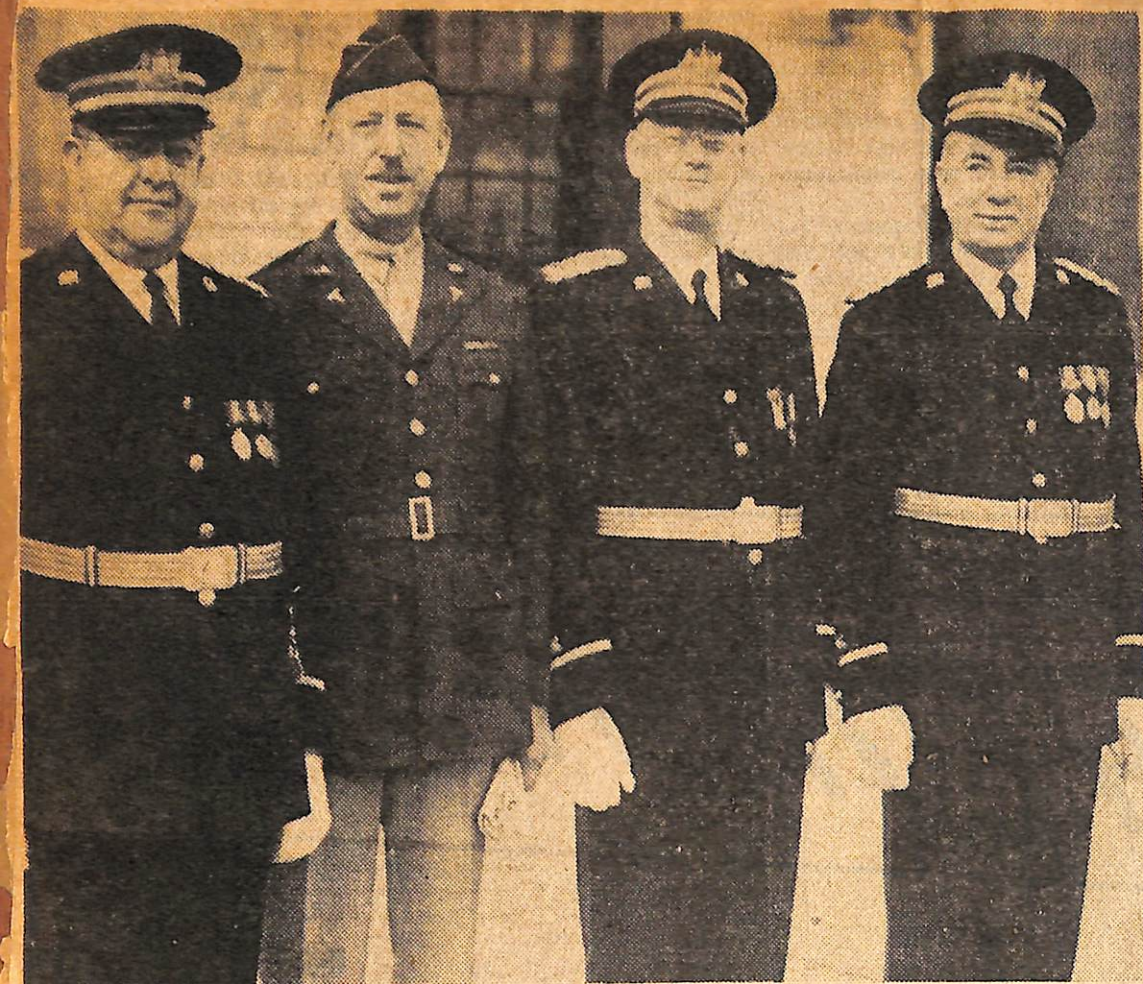
Officers of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company opened the day's celebration with a breakfast in the Copley Plaza Hotel, to which they were called by the shrill piping of a fife-and-drum reveille by members of the Fusiliers' Fife and Drum Corps.

### HONOR FOUNDER

Following the breakfast, the officers marched to King's Chapel burying ground to the tomb of Capt. Robert Keayne, founder of the organization and its first commanding officer. While the other officers stood at salute, Capt. Adams placed a ribboned wreath before the tomb that was once a doorstep at Capt. Keayne's home on Rumney Marsh.

A luncheon for all company members and guests followed at Faneuil Hall and the group then formed for the parade.

In the company's state guard company were its headquarters section, and four platoons, representing transportation, commissary, engineers and medical. Capt. Adams became its commanding officer following his retirement as the Ancients' commanding officer today.



**ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY OFFICERS** named today during the annual drum head election on Boston Common, climaxing the company's 304th anniversary celebration. Left to right: Capt. Fred V. Rogers, 1st Lt. Raymond F. Rauscher, 2nd Lt. John C. Brink and Lt. John W. Gahan, aide to commander.



**ANCIENTS ON PARADE**—Members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, the oldest U. S. military organization, march along Tremont street on their way to Old South Church for memorial services.



# TELLS ANCIENTS NIPPON HALTED

Naval Expert Says Advance Not  
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Observe 304th Anniversary



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**CARRYING ON A TRADITION**

Members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company as they held their drumhead election on the Common.

The Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, its usually gala celebration tempo keyed to a grim war mood, last night, at its 304th anniversary celebration in the Copley-Plaza, heard a veteran naval expert, Captain Chauncey Shackford, U. S. N., report that in his judgment Japan cannot now extend her conquests to include India, Australia or New Zealand, which he pronounced safe from possible Japanese assault.

## HAVE PARADE

The Ancients, 90 per cent of whose membership seen actual war service, shouted their applause when the representative of Admiral William T. Tarrant, commandant of the First Naval District, urged that "this time" the American armies and the armies of her allies, "march into Berlin, march into Tokyo,—and fall not to march into Rome at the same time."

The anniversary was marked by the customary military panoply and precision. There was the luncheon, the parade through Back Bay streets from the Old South Church to the Boston Common, and the review there by Governor Saltonstall and Mayor Tobin, followed by the traditional drum-head election, at which Louis C. Adams, the captain commanding, was succeeded by Lieutenant Fred K. Rogers of Quincy, now captain.

While the ancients provided the spirit of New England's military tradition, a battery from Camp Edwards provided the realism of modern mechanized war. This unit fired the salutes and its war helmets and equipment provided every note of the speed, the toughness, and the machinery of this war.

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Charles Gavin Power, Canadian minister for air, at the banquet last night, declared that the peoples of the United States and Canada will "never permit" any enemy to throw difficulties in the way of peace between the two countries. Both countries, he said, have one God, one tongue and one aim—"to bear the torch of freedom around the world."

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Mayor Tobin placed Boston and Massachusetts ahead of the rest of the country in preparation for the emergency.

Captain Shackford complained of the word "peace," which he said ought to be culled from the American vocabulary until the "war is won." He said it "destroys initiative." He declared it his belief that this war "can be used to end all wars."

If our armies, he said, had marched into Berlin at the end of the last war, "and if our statesmen hadn't been warped by political considerations," we would not, he insisted, be in this war.

He deplored propaganda and gossip as "unnerving to our people" and recommended that those with real suggestions make them to "someone in authority."

## Officers Elected for 1942 and 1943

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## Them Trained



**DRUMHEAD BALLOTING**—Voting for the new chief of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. The summer-uniformed khaki is being worn by the new State Guard reserve company which is now a part of the nation's senior military organization.



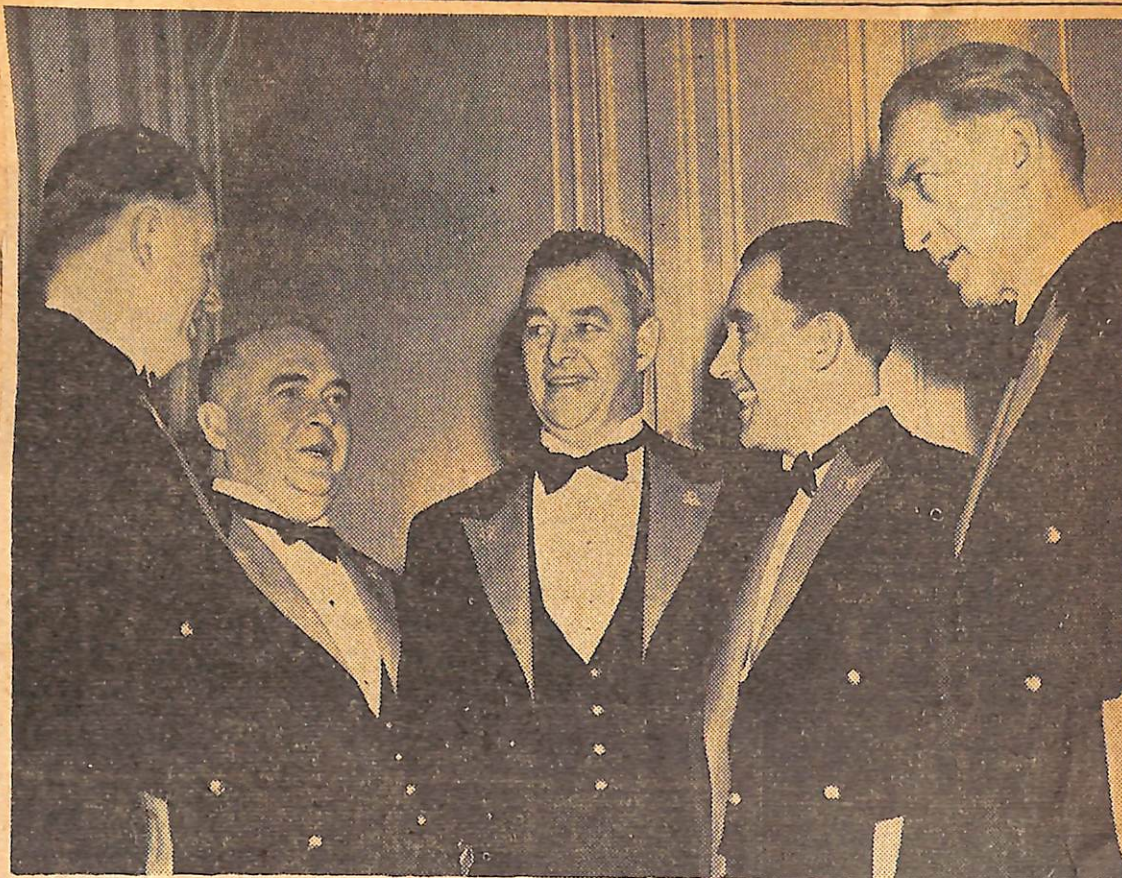
## Ancients Society Entertains Guests

More than 50 attended a dinner sponsored by the Society of Past Commanders of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company last night at the Copley Plaza. Capt. Albert E. Roberts presided.

Capt. Louis C. Adams, captain commanding of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company; Mayor Tobin, Brig.-Gen. Edgar E. Erickson, adjutant-general of Massachusetts; Col. Porter B. Chase, assistant to Gen. Erickson, and William Spottiswoode, trustee of the permanent fund of the artillery company, were guests.

Among the guests of the members were: Capt. G. Harry Adalian, Dept. Supt. John M. Anderson of the police department, Lt. Louis Aronson, Maj. William E. R. Basch, Percy C. Bond, Lt.-Gov. Horace T. Cahill, Sergt. Leon E. Dadmun, Lt. Daniel F. Driscoll, William H. Ellis, Jr., Capt. Harold M. Forst, Lt. Eugene A. Hudson, Dr. Walter S. Jones, Sergt. Charles W. Mitchell, Walter W. Morrison, Patrick J. Osborne, Capt. Benjamin F. Perry, U. S. N., Walter A. Roberts, Lt. Frederick K. Rogers, Lt. Lawrence S. Squire, Brig.-Gen. E. LeRoy Sweetser, Lt. Frank G. Volpe, and Samuel H. Wragg, sheriff of Norfolk county.

The following commanders of the society were present: Maj.-Gen. Walter E. Lombard, Capt. Clarence J. McKenzie, Col. Henry D. Cormerais, secretary; Capt. Frank L. Nagle, Lt.-Col. James W. H. Myrick, Maj. Francis S. Cummings, Lt. Comdr. Walter K. Queen, Capt. George G. Irwin, Capt. Paul O. Curtis, Capt. Justin A. Duncan, Capt. James J. Curry, and Capt. Wallace D. Riddell.



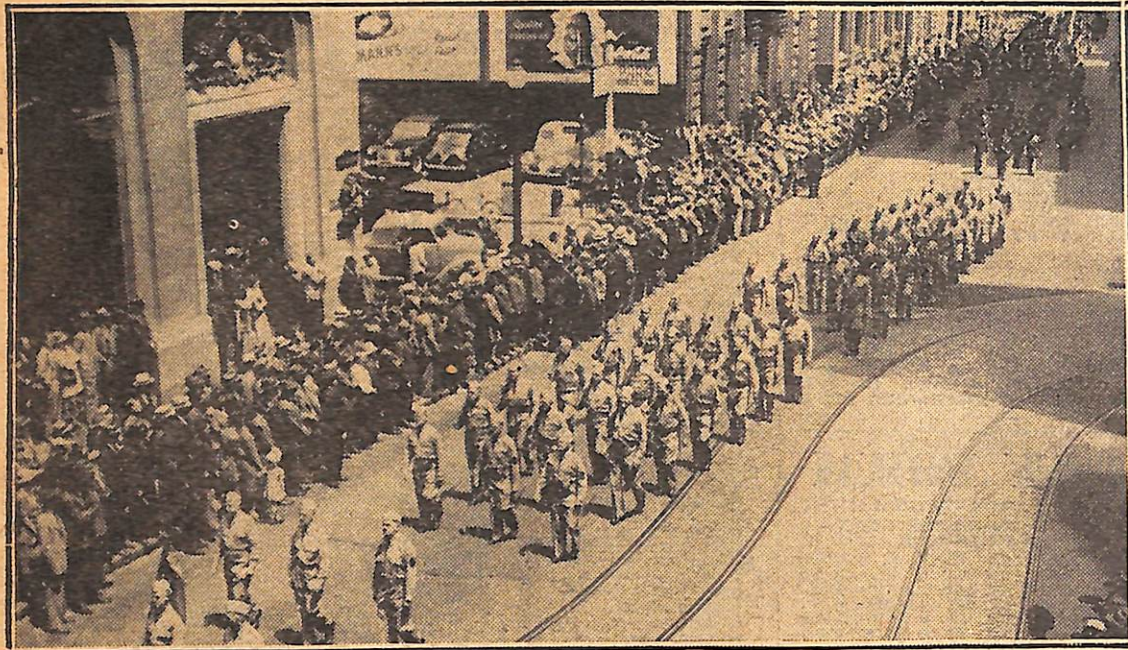
**ANCIENT AND HONORABLE** Artillery Company held its annual sergeants' dinner last night at the Copley-Plaza Hotel. Left to right, Sergeants Joseph Hughes, Harvey R. Moulton, Edward A. Spry, chairman, Eugene Perrault and Stephen Hannon.

## Ancients Stage Sergeants' Dinner

More than 300 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston and a number of prominent military figures attended the company's annual sergeants' dinner last night in the Copley Plaza Hotel. As tradition prescribed, the banquet had no head table and no announced speakers.

The committee chairman was Edward A. Spry, first sergeant of infantry. The committee included Infantry Sergeants Harvey Moulton, Joseph Hughes, Frank Waterman, Irving Shaw and Roy Perry; and Artillery Sergeants Earl MacGillivray, Albert Westman, George Strauch, Eugene Perrault, Stephen Hannon and Wallace Crowley.

Honored guests included Capt. Louis C. Adams, commander of the company; First Lieut. Eugene A. Hudson, Second Lieut. Andrew S. Seiler, Mayor Tobin, and Maj. Frederick Pereira, who took a plane from the South to attend.



## ANCIENTS CELEBRATE 304TH ANNIVERSARY

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co., country's oldest military organization, parades up State st. for 304th annual observances. They attended King's Chapel burial ground services and held drumhead election on Boston Common. Sombre blue service uniforms replaced their usual bright costumes.

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(Daily Record Photo)



## Poem by U. S. Flier, Killed at 19, Hailed as First Classic of War

NEW YORK, Feb. 7—A sonnet of world war II has been ranked by poet Archibald MacLeish, librarian of Congress, with Rupert Brooke's "The Soldier" and John McCrae's "In Flanders Fields" of the first world war.

The author was John Gillespie Magee, Jr., 19-year-old American flier killed last Dec. 11 in action with the Royal Canadian Air Force. He was the son of the Rev. and Mrs. John G. Magee of Washington, D. C.

The text follows:

### High Flight

Oh, I have slipped the surly bonds of earth,  
And danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings;  
Sunward I've climbed and joined the tumbling mirth  
Of sun-split clouds—and done a hundred things  
You have not dreamed of—wheeled and soared and swung  
High in the sunlit silence. Hov'ring there,  
I've chased the shouting wind along and flung  
My eager craft through footless halls of air.  
Up, up the long delirious, burning blue  
I've topped the wind-swept heights with easy grace,  
Where never lark, or even eagle, flew;  
And, while with silent, lifting mind I've trod  
The high untrespassed sanctity of space,  
Put out my hand, and touched the face of God.

IE BOSTON HERALD, MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1942

## So. Boston on 24-Hour Day to Beat Axis



**AIR RAID PROTECTION**—Under the guidance of this hard working group, South Boston, a vital defense zone, is geared for action. Seated, left to right—James E. Benson, chief air raid warden; Capt. Joseph McKinnon, in charge of air raid protection. Standing—Patrolman John J. Butler, acting aide to captain; George Lydon, deputy chief warden; Joseph W. Casper, deputy chief warden.





**AT THE ANNUAL DINNER** and reception to the Governor by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts yesterday were Maj.-Gen. Sherman L. Miles, commanding officer of the First Corps Area, Gov. Saltonstall, Capt. Louis C. Adams, commanding officer of the Ancients, and Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook, left to right.

## Ancients Give Gov. Saltonstall Reproduction of Charter

A framed reproduction of the charter of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts was presented Gov. Saltonstall yesterday as a highlight of the company's annual dinner and reception in observance of Washington's birthday.

The copy of the charter, issued in 1638, was accompanied by a copy of the governor's order of this year recognizing the company as a unit of the Massachusetts State Guard Reserve.

The governor was the principal speaker at the dinner. Mayor To-

bin also spoke and discussed what he described as one of the greatest battles in American history, "the bloodless victory of Dorchester Heights."

The mayor also stressed the need for national unity and an abandonment of the "business-as-usual attitude."

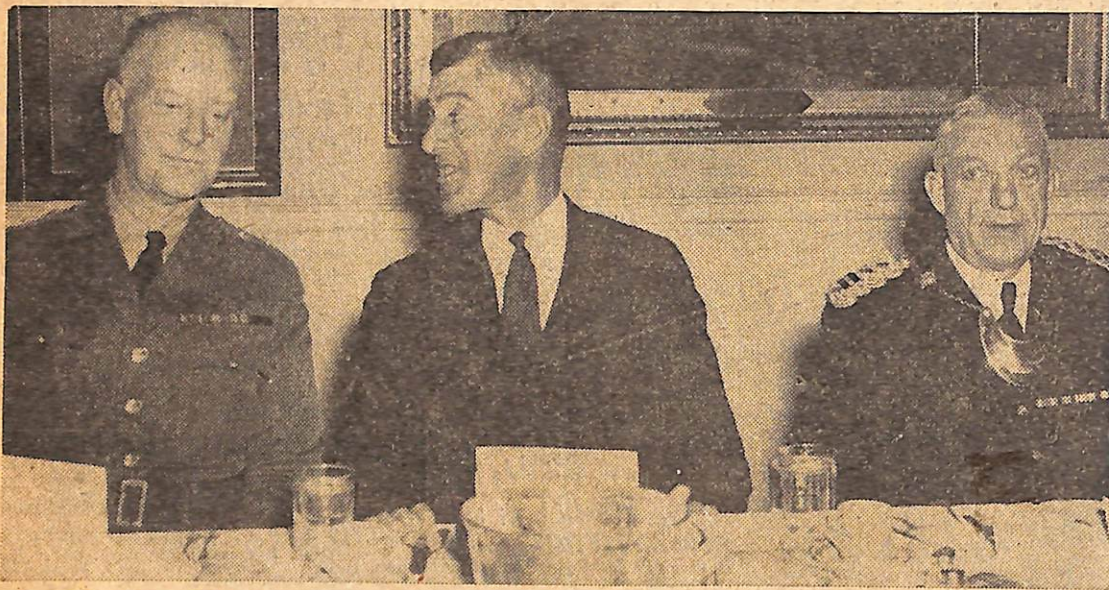
Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook was another speaker. He spoke especially of the meaning of the commonwealth's motto—"By the sword we seek peace but only peace under liberty."

Capt. Louis C. Adams, command-

ing officer of the company, presided and Lt. Eugene A. Hudson and Lt. Andrew S. Seiler were at the head table.

Other head table guests included Maj.-Gen. Sherman L. Miles, commanding officer of the First Corps Area; Brig.-Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, adjutant-general of the commonwealth; Lt.-Gen. George T. Moyce, and Capt. Wallace D. Riddell.

The ceremonies closed with the pledge of allegiance to the flag and the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."



**GOVERNOR DINES WITH ANCIENTS**—Gov. Leverett Saltonstall, center, at annual "Birthday Banquet" of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company yesterday. Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles, left, and Capt. Louis C. Adams are the Governor's neighbors at the dinner.

## Saltonstall, Tobin Speak at Dinner of the 'Ancients'

Just as Washington had his trying times, we too will experience diffi-

cult days ahead, Mayor Maurice J. Tobin of Boston declared yesterday at the 56th annual dinner of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at Faneuil Hall.

Gov. Saltonstall, pointing out that this was the first time since 1918 that the annual Governor's reception at the State House had been called off, explained that such ac-

tion was advised by Washington authorities.

Among other guests present were: Maj. Gen. Sherman L. Miles, commandant of the First Corps Area; Brig. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, Maj. Gen. Walter S. Lombard, Col. Porter B. Chase, Capt. Louis C. Adams, Lieut. Eugene A. Hudson, Lieut. Andrew S. Seiler, Capt. Clarence McKenzie, Maj. Charles A. Malley, Lieut. Col. James W. H. Myrick, Capt. Justin A. Duncan, Capt. William H. Ellis, Capt. Wallace D. Riddell and Capt. Albert E. Roberts.



# ANCIENTS TO MOBILIZE, FIRST TIME SINCE 1787

By ARTHUR STRATTON

Mobilization of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, the oldest military organization in the western hemisphere, but which has not seen active duty since Shays' Rebellion in 1787, was announced last night by its commanding officer, Capt. Louis C. Adams of West Newton.

An active field unit, a medical corps and a transportation and supply detachment will be mobilized among 200 of the 525 members of the company at the suggestion of Gov. Saltonstall and Adj.-Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, Capt. Adams said. Following mobilization it is expected that Gov. Saltonstall, who,

under the Company's charter, is its commander-in-chief, will make it part of the State Guard reserve. In any event, Adams said last night, the three units, when mobilized, will present themselves to Gov. Saltonstall for orders and assignment.

At the same time Capt. Adams disclosed that the gay uniforms of the Ancients, which had plenty of red and gold trimmings to provide a colorful spectacle when the company paraded on Boston streets, have been discarded for a somber, blue uniform of the so-called service type. The gorgeous uniforms, as well as the plumes, are out for the duration, it was explained.

Plans for mobilization of the company were completed at a conference at the organization's armory on the top of Faneuil Hall. It was attended by Gen. Erickson, Lt.-Gov. Cahill, Capt. Adams, First Lt. Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, Second Lt. Andrew S. Seller of Newton and several other commissioned officers of the Ancients.

## UNIT OF ACTIVE MEN

"We propose to form a unit of active men who would be available in any emergency for any purpose for which the Governor might need to call us," said Capt. Adams. "At the meeting, Lt.-Gov. Cahill and Gen. Erickson, at the suggestion of the Governor, outlined to us the military set-up of the commonwealth so far as it relates to protecting its people in the event of attack or other emergency and pointed out to us that the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, rounding out 304 years since it was chartered, was in a position to make an important contribution to this set-up."

The company, of which the Governor has been a member for 17 years and in which there always has been a Saltonstall since it was known as The Train Band in 1637, was considered by the state military authorities to have a vital location in its Faneuil Hall headquarters. There now the company also has arms and equipment, it was disclosed.

Members of the company also are in a position to make vital contributions to a civilian defense effort and to be of service to J. W. Farley, director of the Massachusetts Committee on Public Safety. Capt. Adams said he and other officers had been so informed by the spokesmen for the Governor and the military experts.

"Here is an illustration," he said. "One of our members is the operator of a fleet of more than 400 taxicabs. They are available to our organization in an emergency."

## CAB DRIVERS' CORPS

"The drivers of these cabs are going to be schooled in first aid and first aid kits are going to be installed

in every cab. They will be on call 24 hours a day for evacuation or for any other civilian or defense needs.

"Among our members are several of the biggest contractors and owners of fleets of trucks in this part of the country. They will be in the transportation and supply detachment, as will several such men as caterers and hotel operators belonging to our company.

"Twenty outstanding medical men in Massachusetts belong to the company, as do as many more dentists and pharmacists. They will make up the medical unit."

Adams said that 86 of the 525 Ancients now are in the armed forces performing active service. Another 75, he said, are members but are in such places as Florida and California and unable to participate actively at this time. About another 75 or 80, he estimated, are not physically fit to assist in any way.

## 100 IN FIELD UNIT

About 100 members who are physically fit and available for active duty will comprise the active field unit, he said. Another 100, approximately, will make up the medical corps and the transportation and supply detachment.

The three units will be available for service anywhere in the commonwealth, Adams said, but he pointed out that obviously a majority of members of the company would be of greater service in the vicinity of Boston. He will be commanding officer until the units are

mobilized. At that time Gov. Saltonstall is expected to designate the officers of the various units, as well as the commanding officer.

Adams, an executive in a Boston wholesale drug firm and in a position to obtain large quantities of vital drugs in the event of an emergency, probably will become a member of the transportation and supply department. He was elected commander of the company in May for a year.

While the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company has been essentially a semi-military or social group in the last century and a half, it always has kept a militarily efficient armory and has maintained a soldier-like routine in many other respects. This has been overshadowed, however, by its brilliant banquets and military functions, some of which were staged not only in Boston but in England and Canada during the past decade.

During Shay's Rebellion, its members donned uniforms and did guard duty in several sections of the state. However, many members of the Ancients also belong to other military organizations which have been more active in military respects than this company. It also boasts its quota of ex-service men.

## **ANCIENTS TO ENLIST MEMBERS TONIGHT**

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, oldest military organization in the Americas by virtue of its 1638 charter, is returning to active service as a reserve component of the Massachusetts State guard and will meet in its Faneuil Hall armory tomorrow night to enlist members. Captain-Commander Louis C. Adams was provisionally appointed by Adjutant General Erickson yesterday with power to seek enlistments.

## War Movies For 'Ancients'

Capt. Louis A. Adams, commanding the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of Massachusetts has arranged for the premiere showing of the film "Behind the Scenes in England" tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at company headquarters, Faneuil Hall.

The film is the first in color showing actual defense work operations before, during and after air raids in England. Members of the company and their guests will attend together with heads of State defense agencies.

# Ancients Form Reserve H. Q.

## Capt. Adams Named Provisional Captain

Capt. Louis C. Adams of the renowned Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts yesterday was appointed a provisional captain of a special headquarters company of the State Guard Reserve.

The appointment is preparatory to formation of a special company by several hundred members of the Ancients, which last saw active duty in 1787, during Shay's Rebellion. Recently Capt. Adams disclosed Gov. Saltonstall, himself a member of the company, invited the organization to form such a unit, pointing out it could be valuable in the event of an emergency in Massachusetts.

Capt. Adams will seek enlistments at a meeting of the Ancients tomorrow night in Faneuil Hall. Among its members are many who are leaders in the fields of transportation, commissary, communications, medicine and pharmacy.

Although several other organizations, both semi-military and otherwise, have sought to have special companies in the Reserve, Gen. Erickson said he was unable to grant such permission. The Ancients will have a special company, he explained, only because they have been listed as part of the state militia since their organization in 1638. The Governor is commander of the company, ex-officio.

Gen. Erickson also announced yesterday that the age limit for enlistment in the State Guard Reserve has been lowered from 21 to 18. Not more than 30 per cent. of any company shall consist of men under 21, he said.

## Ancients' Commander to Seek Enlistments for Guard Reserve

Louis C. Adams, commander of the 300-year-old Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, was named a captain-commander by Adj. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson yesterday, with power to seek enlistments in a special Ancient's Headquarters unit of the Massachusetts State Guard Reserve.

Erickson said the special company would be concerned with transportation, commissary, communications and medicine in a local emergency. The Ancients last served in a national emergency in Shay's Rebellion in 1787.

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# Ancients See Britain's Woe

## Movie Inspires Unit To Defense Effort

Britain's trials under war were shown in motion pictures last night to more than 200 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts at Faneuil Hall.

The organization, the oldest organized military unit in the country, was inspired by the pictures to develop further its plan to participate in the state guard service.

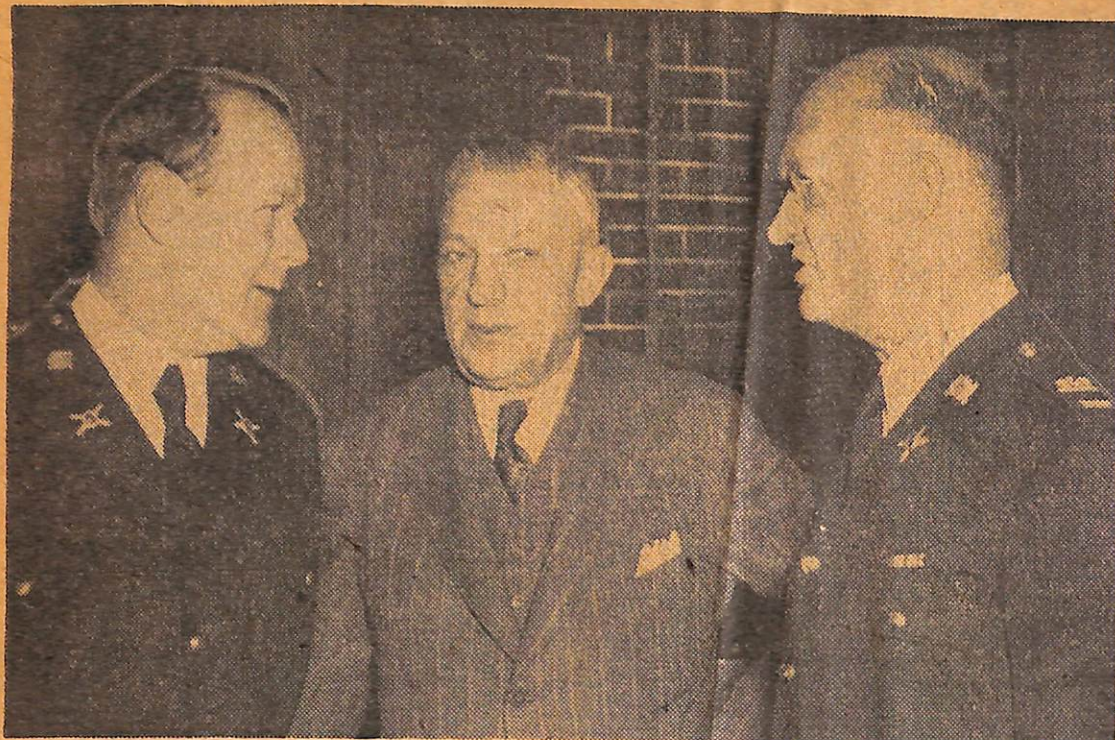
Capt. Louis C. Adams, head of the company and provisional captain of a special headquarters company of the state guard reserve, announced that the Ancients company would meet soon to organize various duty units. These would include, he said, transportation, commissary, medical and headquarters company units.

The colored motion pictures shown were taken during the last three months of 1941 by Col. Edwin H. Cooper, official photographer for the 26th Division during the world war. Col. Cooper was introduced by Sinclair Weeks.

Capt. Adams reminded question-  
ingly during the showing "Will it  
Happen Here?"

The pictures showed bomb damage, rescue and rehabilitation efforts, convoy protection, bomber attacks on cities and ships and all the protection units developed by the British to combat these trials. Col. Cooper returned to this country only last week. He is the photographer who made graphic pictures of the Finnish scene a few years ago.





**AT LIEUTENANTS' DINNER** of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in the Faneuil Hall armory last night. Left to right—Lt. Eugene A. Hudson, Capt. Louis C. Adams, Lt. Andrew J. Seiler.

## 500 at Dinner Of Ancients

### *Musical Mock Trial Entertains Members*

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company held its annual lieutenants' dinner and smoker in its armory in Faneuil Hall last night, with nearly 500 members of the company in attendance. The program was under direction of Lt. Eugene A. Hudson and Lt. Andrew J. Seiler.

Feature of the evening was a musical mock trial in which members of the company gridironed the corps' fall tour of duty to Montreal this fall. Members of the cast included Col. James W. Myrick, Earle P. MacGillivray, Wilfred J. Paquet, Joseph V. Hughes, Charles Austin, Albert J. Steffins, Harry Adakian, George W. Thornburg, Rudolph Wismer, Andrew Rochon, Louis H. Hoffman and Andrew J. Corey.

Sgt. Edward Spry was stage manager. Capt. Louis C. Adams was chairman of the reception committee. Its members included Harvey R. Moulton, Frank S. Waterman, Irving R. Shaw, Roy A. Perry, Alvin P. Westman, George H. Struch, A. Eugene Perrault, Stephen M. Hannon and Wallace E. Crowley.

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## Ancients Go to Montreal on Annual Fall Trip

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"The Ancients" will leave Boston for Montreal, travelling in a special train which has been arranged by T. E. P. Pringle of the Canadian National Railways on Oct. 3. After their arrival in Montreal that evening the famous military organization will establish headquarters for their Canadian stay at the Mount Royal Hotel.

It will not by any means be the first time in the long history of the Bay State organization that the Ancients have met for fall field day exercises in Canada; the first such ceremony in Canada was in 1887 at Montreal. Since then they have gathered in Quebec, Toronto, Saint John, N. B., and in Ottawa; they have also met in Bermuda and Nassau.

The more than 150 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, with Captain Louis Charles Adams of West Newton, commander, in command, will devote Saturday, Oct. 4, to formal calls, sightseeing trips and entertainment provided for them in Montreal. On Sunday church services will be held, after which the Bay State military men will drive to the Alpine Inn at St. Marguerite, in the Laurentian Mountains, for lunch, an afternoon of golf and dinner.

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Many celebrities will accompany the Ancients to Montreal, including his Excellency, Governor Leverett Saltonstall, who is a member of the Ancients; Secretary of State Frederick W. Cook, Brigadier-General E. C. Erickson, adjutant-general of Massachusetts, and Mayor Maurice J. Tobin.

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The customary field day exercises, featured by a parade, will be held Oct. 6. The company will be welcomed to Canada officially at that time by Dominion civil and military officials. Lt.-Gen. Alfred F. Foote, M. N. G., retired, will deliver the response.

A banquet will be held that night, and the group will leave the next morning for Boston on a special Canadian National Railways train.

Among those who will accompany the group to Montreal will be Gov. Saltonstall, Secretary of State Cook, Brig.-Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, adjutant-general of Massachusetts,

## 'Ancients' to Hold Annual Fall Field Day in Montreal

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"The Ancients" will leave Boston for Montreal, traveling in a special train which has been arranged by T. E. P. Pringle of the Canadian National Railways, on Friday morning, Oct. 3. After their arrival in Montreal that evening, the first event of a full program will be dinner at the Mt. Royal Hotel, where the famous military organization will establish headquarters for its Canadian stay.

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# Gov. Saltonstall Urges Greater Defense Effort

## Team Play and Action Great Need, He Tells Ancients at Montreal

Special Dispatch to the Globe

MONTREAL, Oct. 6—A call for Massachusetts to redouble its defense production was made tonight by Gov. Leverett Saltonstall at the banquet of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company which closed the organization's 304th field day. Earlier the Ancients paid tribute to Canada's World War dead in an impressive ceremony at the Montreal Cenotaph.

Replying to the toast of "The Commonwealth" at the Mt. Royal Hotel, Gov. Saltonstall offered a pledge to the common cause of security and freedom in which our country and your dominion are forever joined.

"Our factory lights are blazing by night," he said. "Twenty-four-hour shifts are rushing guns, ships, airplane parts, weapons of all kinds, and shoes and clothing, not only for our own defense but for the courageous soldiers, sailors and civilians of Great Britain and of Canada and the other peoples who are fighting the outposts against ruthless aggression."

"We in the United States learning what is our strength of begotten with the combi-round teab-jay and action. I sciti-of the part which Massack much zens are playing. But wed such more of such team-pl action."

### Calls for Concerted

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"Then of our forces are ready and eager to face the risk. We have confidence in our vessels and the weapons we are making. We pray that the days of bombing and blitzes may soon end. But prayers alone won't do. Action—concerted action of a united people is what is most needed."

Massachusetts, as ever in her history, is all-out for defense. We must see to it that what we produce reaches the countries fighting to halt the Axis aggression. We must redouble our production. Success in that depends on all our citizens. I am confident that the men and women of our beloved Commonwealth are ready to give and to

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# Artillerymen From U.S. Pay Goodwill Visit

## Massachusetts Company To Celebrate 304th Annual Field Day

Resplendent in uniforms of blue and scarlet, officers carrying drawn swords and some bearing the traditional halberds and pikes, with which artillerymen were armed in the old days to withstand cavalry charges, nearly 200 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts arrived on a special train from Boston last night at the Bonaventure Station. They are here to celebrate the 30th annual field day of the unit, coming to Canada in this time of war to show their goodwill to Canadians.

The visitors were led by Capt. Louis C. Adams, officer commanding, and at the railway station were met by Councillor Fred Duclos, representing the Mayor of Montreal, and by an escort of 200 officers and men of the Royal Victoria Regiment who marched them to their quarters in the Mount Royal Hotel. Major R. K. Robertson was in charge of the escort.

Also present at the railway station were Col. Fred M. McRobie, Victoria Rifles, Lieut.-Col. Andrew Fleming of M.D. 4, and Paul E. Joubert, manager of the Montreal Tourist and Convention Bureau.

The Bostonians marched out of the station and formed in double rank on St. James street, presenting arms when the Royal Victoria Rifles with their brass and bugle bands marched past to the tune of marches made famous in the last war.

Preceded by the khaki-clad Canadians the visitors then marched up Windsor street to their hotel, where they had dinner at 8 p.m.

### BOSTON GREETING

"We're delighted to bring a friendly greeting from the people of Boston," Captain Adams, of "the Ancient and Honorable," declared last night. "We're glad to see the citizens of Montreal and to enjoy their hospitality. Particularly we appreciate the reception given us by Col. Charles F. Ritchie and the Victoria Rifles."

At 9 a.m. today the company marched to Headquarters of Military District No. 4 to pay its respects officially to Gen. E. deB. Panet.

Leaving H.Q. they went to the City Hall for an official call on the Mayor.

For this afternoon and evening they will make the officers' mess of the Victoria Rifles of Canada their headquarters and tomorrow will go to the Alpine Inn at St. Margarets, returning in the evening.

On Monday morning they will lay a wreath at the Cenotaph in Dominion square, and in the evening will hold their annual fall field day banquet in the Mount Royal Hotel. On Tuesday morning they will return to Boston.

# United Tribute Paid War Dead

## Ancient Artillery Company Lays Wreath on Cenotaph

The Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes waved side by side today, dipped side by side, to the honor of Canada's soldier dead of the first Great War. Men in Canadian uniforms stood side by side with men in the uniforms of the United States as they paid honor together to the memory of Canada's sons who gave their lives in the last war, as they pledged that they would remain side by side in the future.

The occasion was today's laying of a memorial wreath on the Cenotaph in Dominion Square by the members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts who have come to this city to hold their 304th Fall Field Day in token of their fellow feeling with Canada in this war.

Present among the men in the uniform of the company, which is descended from the Honourable Artillery Company of London, were Mayor Adhemar Raynault, and Governor Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts who came here this morning to take part in this ceremony.

### MARCH TO CENOTAPH

The visitors marched to the Cenotaph from their Montreal headquarters, the Mount Royal Hotel, being escorted by No. 4B Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, under the command of Major Lindsay Smeaton, and accompanied by the band of the 2nd Batt. Canadian Grenadier Guards, Capt. J. J. Gagnier leading.

At the Cenotaph the memorial wreath was laid by Capt. L. C. Adams, officer commanding the "Ancient and Honorable," a prayer was said by Major the Rev. J. Bruce Hunter, senior Protestant chaplain of M.D. 4, and Mayor Raynault welcomed the visitors.

In reply Lieut.-General A. S. Foote, D.S.M., colonel of the 104th U.S. Infantry in the last war,—"the first American regiment to be given the Croix de Guerre by the French Government, spoke of the meaning of the tribute paid to Canada's dead of the last war.

He spoke of Magna Charta and its essentials of liberty and of the constant struggle of the English-speaking people to enlarge and protect these liberties.

"Today the world continues to fight whether men shall be free or slaves," he said.

### NECESSARY THINGS

The things we fight for he described as simple and necessary: freedom of worship; of government; trial by jury of one's peers; security from oppression, security of property, freedom of trade and freedom of the seas.

"While we are here in peaceful

assembly," he said, "millions are starving and homeless. Millions are war weary. This very day thousands may die.

"Once more in our generation savagery and dictatorship have raised their heads. Yet we can draw comfort from the fact that once again our nations stand together.

"We stand together like sons of one father. The blood spilled in '76 has been washed away. The sons of those who once met as foes are now marching together as friends."

He spoke in compliment to the men of the Victoria Rifles and of the Veterans' Guard which have acted as escorts to the visitors on official occasions, and declared that he envied Canadian officers the opportunity to command such men.

Recalling his experiences of the last war, he said that he well remembered Canadians, debarking, later marching through mud, still later crouched in shell holes filled with slimy green water waiting for the signal attack and then striking with whirlwind force.

### THOUGHT OF DUTY

"I saw them on the morning of a big attack," he said. "I saw them with drawn faces for they had been marching all night. I saw them rest and think of their homes and loved ones. Then I saw them think of duty and that look of resolution come over their faces. A resolution which took them charging to the gates of hell.

"It was an honor and a privilege to have been with them. For I went with them to the very edge of the Valley of the Shadow of Death. And I saw them give willingly to preserve the liberties of their fathers their greatest and their only gift—their lives.

"As a comrade of theirs, as a citizen of No Man's Land let me plead with you to carry on. O you men of Canada,—you men of the United States,—awake! Beat your plow shares into swords! The foe is at your door! Take up the quarrel of these warriors. If you do not—they shall not sleep where poppies grow.

"I salute the soldier dead of Canada, and so does the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. . . . May you sleep in peace."

After the ceremony, at which

both "God Save the King" and "The Star Spangled Banner" were played, the Veterans Guard, the Canadian Grenadier Guards' band and the visitors marched back to the Mount Royal Hotel, passing a saluting stand at Peel and Cypress streets where Lieut.-Gen. Foote took the salute.

### LAURENTIANS VISITED

Over the week-end the company visited the Laurentians, having lunch and dinner at the Alpine Inn and making a bus tour of the neighborhood to see the autumn scenery.

On Saturday the visitors inspected the Ville LaSalle plant of Distillers' Corporation, Ltd. There Mayor Raynault extended a welcome to the city and proposed a toast to the President of the United States. Lieut.-Col. C. F. Ritchie, O.C., of the Victoria Rifles of Canada, 2nd Battalion, proposed a toast to the visitors to which Capt. L. C. Adams, commander of the Artillery Company, responded.

Frederick W. Cook, Secretary of State for Massachusetts, spoke briefly of the production of new aircraft for Britain in U.S. factories, and of the launching of ships. He declared that there was no question in his mind but that the United States was doing everything it could to bring the war to a successful conclusion.

Samuel Bronfman, host of the party, was warmly greeted when he rose to welcome the visitors. He compared the friendly relations of Canada and the United States with the situation in Europe.

He lauded United States aid to Britain and declared "Britain and the United States cannot be beaten. Victory is certain and inevitable. Let there be no doubts in the minds of the faint hearted."

## THE GAZETTE.

# U.S. UNIT TO HONOR OUR DEAD OF 1914-18

## Artillery Company Will Lay Wreath on the Cenotaph This Morning

Tribute to Canada's Great War dead will be paid this morning by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, composed of prominent citizens of New England at present or formerly associated with the United States fighting forces.

Members of the company, now here on a three-day annual field outing, will be escorted from the Mount Royal Hotel to the Cenotaph on Dominion Square by No. 4B Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada. The unit will arrive at the Cenotaph at 9 a.m. and will lay the wreath at 9:30 a.m. The ceremony will be followed by a service at 10 a.m. and a luncheon at 11 a.m. The company will then proceed to the Mount Royal Hotel for a dinner at 12:30 p.m. and will then proceed to the Alpine Inn for a dinner at 7:30 p.m. The company will then proceed to the Mount Royal Hotel for a dinner at 7:30 p.m. and will then proceed to the Alpine Inn for a dinner at 7:30 p.m.

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## Les artilleurs du Massachusetts à la Distillers Corporation



Samedi dernier, les membres de l'"Ancienne et Honorable compagnie d'artillerie du Massachusetts" ont été invités à visiter les distilleries de Ville LaSalle. Cette visite fut suivie d'un banquet qui réunissait environ deux cents convives. On remarque, ici, de gauche à droite: le major-général Frank Schwengel, de New-York; l'hon. Fred W. Cook, secrétaire de l'Etat du Massachusetts; M. Homer M. Byington, consul général américain à Montréal; Son Honneur le maire Adhémar Raynault; M. Samuel Bronfman, président de la Distillers Corporation et hôte des visiteurs, et le capitaine Louis C. Adams, commandant de la compagnie d'artillerie.

## BOSTON ARTILLERY WELCOMED BY UNIT

### Victoria Rifles Supplies Guard-of-Honor for 150 Visiting Veterans

Military honors were paid to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts when roughly 150 members of that high-ranking American organization, composed of many former members of the United States Army and Navy, arrived in the city last evening from Boston by special train.

Members of the 2nd Battalion, Victoria Rifles of Canada, nearly 300 strong, acted as an escort for the visitors from Bonaventure Station to the Mount Royal Hotel, the former U.S. generals and other high-ranking officers parading up Windsor street in colorful uniforms despite a steady downpour of rain.

Rifles and side-arms were carried by the escort party, but, for the first time in the history of several memorable visits to Canada, the Massachusetts party did not carry arms. This change was made from the usual custom owing to the fact that Canada is now at war.

Falling in at the Cathcart street Armory, the escort party, under Maj. R. K. Robertson, with Capt. B. C. Fairchild second-in-command, paraded to the station, headed by the brass and bugle bands of the battalion. As the special train drew in, the bands played, and the visitors lined up on the station platform, facing St. James street. The escort party, which had been standing on the east side of the station, then moved westward, and proceeded north on Windsor street, Capt. Louis C. Adams, O.C. of the Ancient and Honorable Company, taking the salute. On the way up Windsor street the bands marched behind the battalion and ahead of the visitors.

On crossing St. Catherine street, the escort party widened out to form two lines of soldiers leading from St. Catherine street to the entrance to the Mount Royal Hotel. The bands first passed through, taking up a position on the north side of the hotel entrance. Arms were presented, the bands played, and the distinguished visitors passed into the hotel.

This is technically the annual fall field day of the Company. The group will be here until Tuesday morning, spending Sunday in the Laurentians.

This morning a visit will be paid to the Ville LaSalle plant of Distillers Corporation Limited, after which there will be a reception and lunch. This afternoon the armory of the Victoria Rifles of Canada will be visited. Tonight is a free night. On Monday morning a wreath will be placed at the Cenotaph on Dominion Square. Monday night the annual banquet will be held, when the guests of honor will include Hon. Leverett Saltonstall, Governor of Massachusetts; Hon. J. Pierrepont Moffat, U.S. Minister to Canada, and many prominent Canadians.

City Councillor Fred Duclos, representing Mayor Raynault, was at Bonaventure Station last night to extend a civic welcome. Paul E. Joubert, manager of the Montreal Tourist and Convention Bureau, was also there. Lt.-Col. Andrew Fleming represented Brig.-Gen. E. de B. Panet, O.C. of Military district No. 4.

Capt. Adams, commanding officer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, seen in the Mount Royal Hotel later in the evening said: "We bring to the citizens of Montreal friendly greetings and

we are sure to enjoy the hospitality which this city always offers. We wish to express our very deep appreciation for the reception we received on our arrival in Montreal. We were overwhelmed by the welcome accorded us by the people and by the fine escort provided by the Victoria Rifles of Canada."

One of the features of the parade from the station to hotel were the esponsos carried by the leading officers. The one carried by the commanding officer is shown in the picture on this page. Brightly polished sabres were also carried by many. Those in the reserve army, or in the present fighting forces, wore khaki-colored uniforms. Most of the members wear the colorful regulation suits of the Ancient and Honorable Company, of red and blue, with epaulettes and other trimmings.

## UNIQUE U.S. GROUP COMING HERE TODAY

### Escort from Vics to Meet Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company

Exemplifying the goodwill which exists between Canada and the United States nearly 200 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts with a number of prominent officers will arrive at Bonaventure Station at seven o'clock tonight for a three-day visit to celebrate their 304th Field Day. An escort of 200 from the Victoria Rifles of Canada, under the command of Maj. R. K. Robertson, will meet this distinguished party at the station and escort them to their hotel.

Tomorrow morning, the party, nearly 200 strong, will embark in buses at the Mount Royal Hotel for a two-hour tour of the plant of Distillers Corporation-Seagrams Limited, at Ville LaSalle, one of the largest on the north American continent, after which they will be the guest of Samuel Bronfman, president, at luncheon at the plant.

Prominent representatives of the armed forces of Canada have been invited to meet this distinguished party and among those who will occupy seats at the head table are: Samuel Bronfman; the following representatives of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company: Lt.-Gen. Alfred F. Foote, Brig.-Gen. Geo. E. Moyse, Lt.-Col. Chas. T. Cahill, Capt. Louis C. Adams, commanding officer.

The Hon. F. W. Cook, Secretary of State of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Allan Bronfman, Mayor A. Raynault, Homer Byington, American Consul-General, Lt.-Col. Chas. F. Ritchie, Col. Fred M. McRobie, Capt. Fred E. Pereira, Robert Koller, Gen. F. R. Schwengel, Lt.-Col. K. M. Perry, D.S.O., M.D. 4, Lt.-Col. W. S. Newroth, A. Goldberg, Lazarus Phillips, K.C., H. G. Norman, Lt.-Col. Andrew Fleming, Harry Bronfman, Lt.-Col. R. Girard, Col. S. Echenberg, E.D., Cmdr. Paul Earl, Air Commodore G. V. Walsh, M.B.E., Brig.-Gen. Walter S. Lombard and Aime Geoffrion, K.C.

On Sunday the visitors will spend the day at Ste. Marguerite and on Monday they will parade to the cenotaph to lay a wreath. The visit will conclude with the annual field day banquet on Monday night.

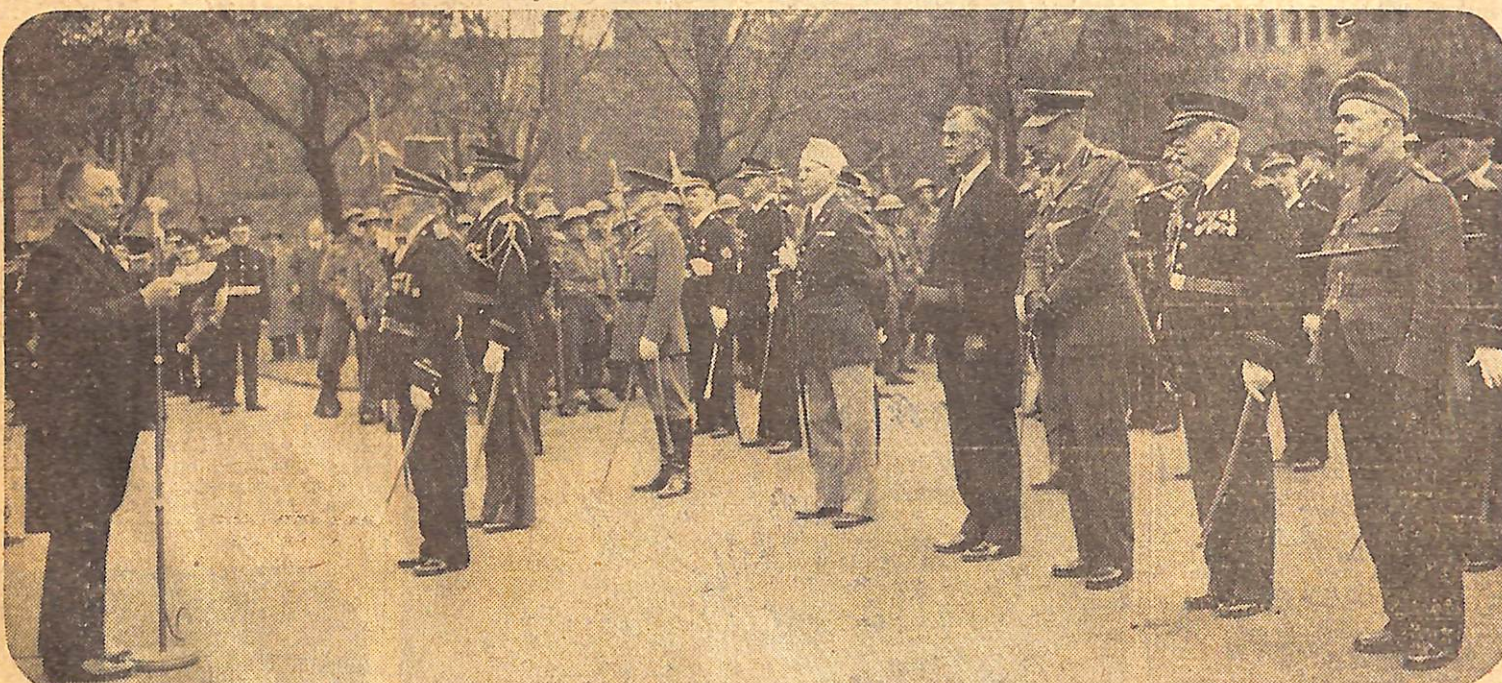


# "U.S. Good-will Soldiers" Visit City



Members of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston visited the Ville La Salle plant of the House of Seagram Saturday. After inspecting the plant process they were entertained at a luncheon given by Samuel Bronfman, president of the firm. Shown above, left to right, are Major General Walter Lombard, Arlington, Mass. (U.S. Army Retired); Commander Paul Earl, R.C.N.V.R., Montreal; Allan Bronfman; Major General Frank

R. Schwengel, New York; Lieut. Gen. A. F. Foote, Quincy, Mass.; Lieut. Col. K. M. Perry, D.S.O., M.D. 4; Mayor Raynault; Capt. Louis Adams, Officer Commanding Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company; Samuel Bronfman; Air Commodore G. V. Walsh, M.B.E.; Lieut. Col. Fred Ritchie, D.S.O., M.C., Officer Commanding Victoria Rifles of Canada, and Homer M. Byington, American Consul General.



Tribute to Canada's soldier dead was paid today by the visiting members of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, when they placed a wreath at the base of the Cenotaph on Dominion Square. Above they are shown being welcomed by Mayor Adhemar Raynault. In the background is an escort of No. 4B Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada. From left

to right the picture shows Mayor Raynault; Captain Louis C. Adams, commander of the Artillery Company; Capt. F. E. Ferreira, aide; Brig.-Gen. George E. Moyes; Brig.-Gen. E. K. Erickson; His Excellency Governor Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts; Brig.-Gen. E. deB. Panet; Lieut.-Col. Chas. P. Cahill and Lieut.-Col. Andrew Fleming.





**MONTREAL WELCOMES ANCIENTS**—City Councilman Fred F. Duclos (right) extends greetings of city to Capt. Louis Adams of Boston.

## Ancients From Bay State Parade in Rain at Montreal

### 200 in Uniform March to Hotel After Arrival for Fall Field Day

Special Dispatch to the Globe

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 3—Their dark blue uniforms, scarlet facings, gold braid and medals contrasting with the grim battle dress of their Canadian military escort, the members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts paraded bravely through the rain tonight on their way from Bonaventure Station to their hotel. The company is here for its 304th Fall field day.

Two hundred strong, the Artillerymen made a striking appearance as they marched up Windsor and Peel sts. to the Mount Royal Hotel, preceded by an escort battalion of the Victoria Rifles of Canada under command of Maj. R. K. Robertson. The Vics were drawn up outside the station as a guard of honor and on arrival at the Mount Royal they lined both sides of Peel st. and presented arms as the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company passed into the hotel.

The drizzling rain made the march uncomfortable and some of the men faced the blast with their heads down. Stern commands, "Heads up, men!" rang out as the parade approached the hotel. Rooms had been arranged in advance and only a few minutes were required to settle everyone in his quarters, after which the visitors gathered at an informal dinner.

The Artillerymen, under command of Capt. Louis C. Adams, were greeted at the station by

representatives of Military District No. 4 and by officers of their escort party, the Victoria Rifles. Many friends, some of them military and naval or air-force officers whose acquaintance had been made on previous visits, also greeted them. Loud cheers were forthcoming from groups of spectators along the parade route.

Among those who will occupy seats at the head table at a luncheon tomorrow will be Frederic W. Cook, Secretary of State of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, United States Consul General Homer Byington, Mayor Adhemar Raynault of Montreal, a number of Canadian officers and Lieut. Gen. Alfred F. Foote, Brig. Gen. George E. Moyse, Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill and Capt. Louis C. Adams of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

Arrivals tonight included Charles Bernard, speaker of the New Hampshire House of Representatives; Enoch Fuller, Secretary of State of New Hampshire; Paul A. Dever, former Attorney General of Massachusetts; Andrew K. Gorey, secretary of the Boston Police Commission; Frank G. Volpe, Assistant Attorney General of Massachusetts, and ex-Mayor Thomas McGinnis of Quincy, Mass.

Gov. Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts is expected here Monday to take part in the ceremony at the cenotaph on Dominion sq. On Sunday an outing will be held at St. Marguerite in the Laurentian Mountains.

## Montreal Hails Ancients as Symbol of Friendship

Special Dispatch to the Globe

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 4—The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts had the freedom of Montreal today. This

morning they paid their respects to Brig.-Gen. E. de B. Panet, commanding officer of Military District No. 4, and to Mayor Adelard Raynault at the City Hall. These duties over,

they embarked in buses for Ville Lasalle, near Lachine Rapids, where by groups they inspected the huge distillery of Distillers Seagram, Ltd., and were afterwards guests at luncheon of the president of that company, Samuel Bronfman. In the afternoon a reception was given them at Canada's Grenadier Guards Armory, and the festivities there were continued tonight at the armory of the Royal Victoria Rifles. Tomorrow they will spend a day

in the open air at the Alpine Inn at Ste. Marguerite in the Laurentians.

At the luncheon at Ville Lasalle, Samuel Bronfman warmly welcomed them, declaring no trite words of welcome would express the warm regard Montreal held for them.

After referring to the unity extant in Canada, where free speech, a free press and a freedom to live one's own life exists, Mr. Bronfman said, "There is a difference between

our way of life and that which Hitler and his bestial system would impose on the world."

He was cheered by the American visitors when he said "But Hitler will never do it while the British Empire and the United States endure, nor as long as we have those two rugged oaks, two men of unconquerable and unquenchable spirit like Churchill and Roosevelt."

"What a contrast in two ways of life," he declared. "The example of the United States and Canada, living like friendly neighbors, is one which could be copied, with benefit to the whole world, by those countries which know no sense of justice and whose leaders bray their delight in inflicting terror and suffering on others."

"Your visit," he said, "typifies the friendship which exists between Canada and the United States. It is symbolical of a comradeship in spirit which has never been firmer than in these perilous days."

The toast to the King was proposed by Mr. Bronfman and that to President Roosevelt by Mayor Adhemar Raynault, who at the same time heartily welcomed the American visitors.

Col. Charles F. Ritchie, of the Victoria Rifles, proposed the toast to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

"We are ever mindful of the fact that our late Hon. Lieut. Col. Robert Starke held the unique distinction of being one of the two Canadians who were honorary members of the Company," he said. "And for that reason as well we are happy to be associated with your visit."

Warm thanks for the welcome extended to the visiting artillerymen by Montreal were voiced by Capt. Louis C. Adams, commanding officer.

Among the speakers was Frederic W. Cook, Secretary of State of

Massachusetts, who referred to the part the United States is playing in the fight against Hitler.

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## ANCIENTS ARE IN MONTREAL

### March From Station to Hotel in Heavy Rain

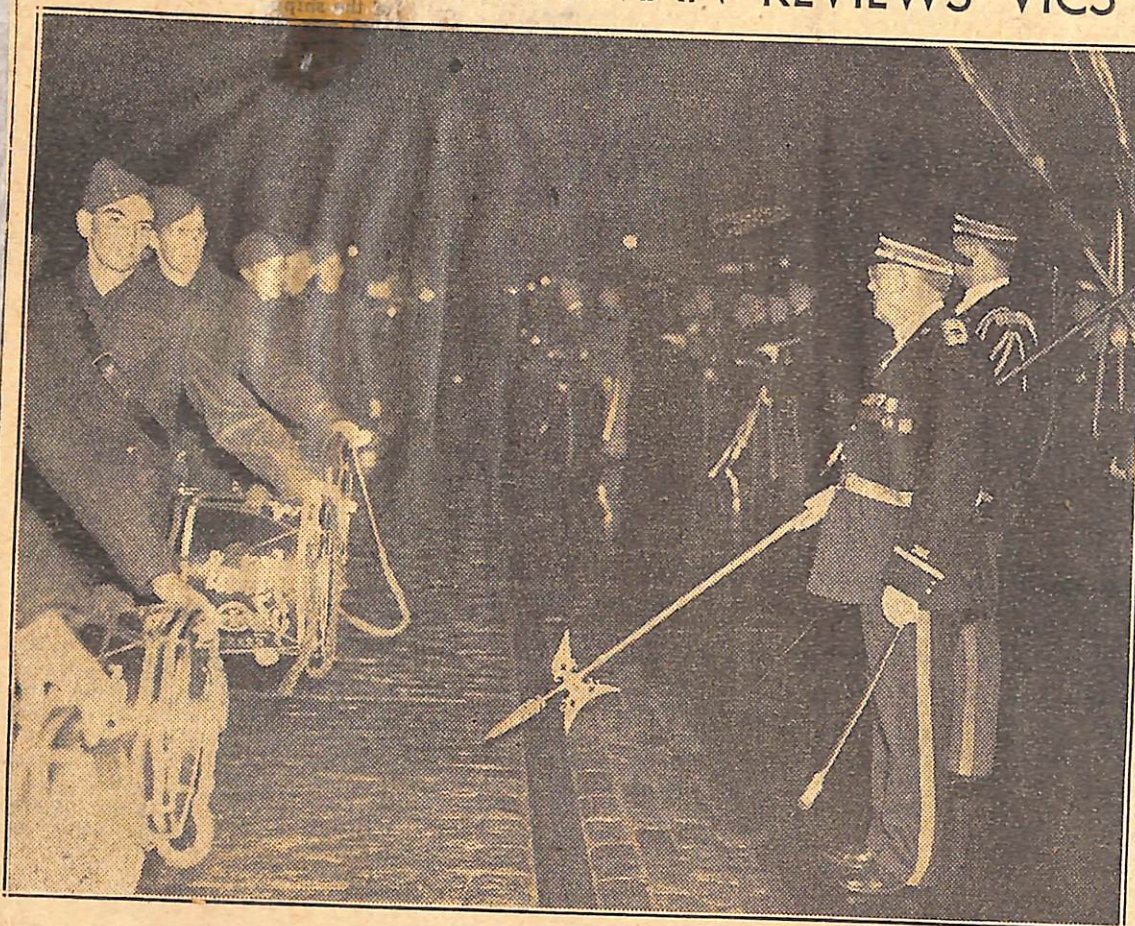
MONTREAL, Oct. 3 (AP)—Nearly 200 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts arrived here tonight from Boston by special train to stage an annual field day.

The group was escorted to a hotel from a railway station by the Second Battalion of the Victoria Rifles of Canada, an artillery unit, during a heavy rain.

Captain Louis C. Adams, officer commanding the visiting company, took a salute from the parading soldiers on the steps of the railway station.



## 'ANCIENT' ARTILLERYMAN REVIEWS VICS



**CAPT. LOUIS C. ADAMS**, commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, reviews troops of the Victoria Rifles of Canada on St. James street. The Vics met Capt. Adams and his comrades at Bonaventure station and marched with them through the rain to their hotel.

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## "Welcome, Ancients"!

# Famous U.S. Military Unit Arrives Tonight

Artillery Company Traces Origin Back to 1638—History Is Unique

THE dim mists of 300 years of history will roll back tonight when Montreal welcomes to its hospitable city again the members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

Rich in traditions which are traced to pre-Revolution years, the Company boasts on the roll of its members men who have risen to high eminence in the service of the great American Republic and, in the fulfillment of three centuries of patriotic duties, generation after generation of its members have maintained the high ideals of the founders.

The late Col. Robert Starke, V.D., of Victoria Rifles of Canada, was one of the only two Canadians who were honorary members of the famous Company. The Vics are playing host to the visitors during their stay here.

The charter of the company, at first known as "The Military Company of the Massachusetts," was granted at "a General Court houlden at Boston the 13th of the first month, A.D. 1638."

### CLOSE FELLOWSHIP

Just a century previously emerged in London, England, a body known as the "Fraternity of St. George's Guild" which eventually became the Honorable Artillery Company, and during the past 60 years at least, the closest fellowship and relations have subsisted between the two organizations.

In the year prior to the organization of the H.A.C. of Massachusetts, the American Colony had passed through a distressing period, and the menace of aggression by the Indians and the mounting need of protection increased the problems of the communities. From the first days of the Colony there had been crudely organized training bands in the different districts of the newly settled portion of Massachusetts, being purely voluntary military organizations for defence, commonly styled "Bands" or "Train Bands," under officers who had received military training of some sort in England.

Of the 24 who are mentioned in the charter as those "already joined with them," 12 had received training in the Artillery Garden of London.

### THE FIRST CAPTAIN

Robert Keayne was the first elected Captain of the Company and was undoubtedly the leading spirit in the organization. He was born in Windsor, England, in 1595. His father, John Keayne, was a butcher. He moved to London and served his apprenticeship with John Hayfield and was admitted to the freedom of the Merchant Tailors Corporation in 1615. He joined the Artillery Company of London in 1623.

At the age of 40, he came to America in the ship Defence. His shop and home were at the southeast corner of State and Washington streets. It afterwards became a well-known bookshop, and Henry Knox, who in later years was to become the first Secretary of War in the United States was reared there.

Captain Keayne was one of the leading and most prosperous citizens of Boston. Many tales are told of his shrewd business transactions. In his long will which occupied 53 pages and contained about 51,000 words he became a public benefactor.

On the first Monday of June in 1638 the Company held its initial muster under its new charter. Officers were expected to follow carefully the duties as laid down in the book of discipline of that period: "The Captain to be a good posture man himself and when he sees any



Capt. Louis C. Adams  
Commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

of his soldiers handling their arms in an indecent and slovenly manner, he may the better reprove them for same."

It is probable that on their first training day the Company assembled in approximately the same area on Boston Common that has been occupied for the same ceremony through all the years.

### LIKE "IRONSIDES"

The painting of the "First Muster" strongly suggests a troop of Cromwell's "Ironsides", with their steel helmets and back and front armor pieces. Governor Winthrop, with members of his Council, carefully inspected the newly assembled Company and their equipment. Each man with his bandolier and clothing of buff leather, officers with great boots, and Drummer Perry, who was afterwards the Town Crier of Boston, in the foreground.

Provision for an armory for the Company was made in his will by Captain Keayne who left money for the building of a Town House. This was located on the site of the present Old State House at the head of State street. It was destroyed by fire in 1711 and was afterwards rebuilt on its new site.

In 1740 Peter Faneuil provided funds for the building of a market house which was completed in 1742 and which is now faced as "The Cradle of Liberty." From that time it has been used as an assembly place by the Artillery Company, and in the museum's carefully preserved much of the material which has a direct bearing on the history of the Company.

## Ancients Take Motorbus Tour to Quebec Points

Bay State Group Goes to Ste. Marguerite for Day's Outing

Special Dispatch to the Globe

STE. MARGUERITE, Que., Oct. 5.—Undismayed by heavy rain, the members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts journeyed today from Ste. Marguerite by motorbus, with a brief halt at St. Jerome for refreshments. They made their headquarters at the Alpine Inn, situated in the wooded hills of the Laurentians, all aglow with the Autumn tints of the maples.

Before lunch the party adjourned to the game room where a short social meeting was held at which habitant songs and recitations were given by Harry Hamilton, one of the "Byng Boys." A skit, "Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Sheehan," was put on by Hamilton and another "Byng Boy," Maj. D. L. MacLaren, ex-Mayor of Saint John, N. B., who is an honorary member of the Ancients.

After lunch two bus loads of the visitors proceeded under leadership of Lieut. Andrew S. Siler to Domaine D'Esterel; visited the hotel and the community centre and held an impromptu entertainment in the Community Theatre at which Charles Barnard, Speaker of the House of Representatives of New Hampshire, presided.

There was community and quartette singing and the "Byng Boys" were again to the fore. The party visited the Sports Club and the stables and showed great interest in the horses kept for the guests at the Domaine. On the way back to the Alpine Inn they called at La Pointe Bleue Hotel for refreshments and spent an interesting interval listening to the broadcast of the Brooklyn-New York baseball game, noting with envy that although rain was pouring at Ste. Marguerite, it was "shirt-sleeve weather" at the ball park.

Meanwhile, that section of the party which remained at the Alpine Inn made some attempt to play golf, but rain halted it and an adjournment was made to the game room where the roulette table and other games of chance made them forget the weather.

Prominent among the guests at dinner in the evening were: Lieut. Gen. Alfred F. Foote of Boston, who served in the Spanish-American War and went overseas as a major in the 26th Division of the A. E. F. in the first Great War; Maj. Lindsay Hall, New York; Maj. Gen. Walter Lombard of the Massachusetts National Guard (retired); Brig. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, Adjutant General of Massachusetts, and F. W. Cook, secretary of State of Massachusetts.

Montreal military men who accompanied the Americans included: Lieut. Col. Andrew L. Fleming of the Black Watch Highlanders, Maj. Lindsay Hall and Capt. Thomas Redpath of the Royal Victoria Rifles, and Lieut. Col. Fred MacRobie of Military District No. 4. The party left for Montreal by bus at 9 p. m.

Capt. Lewis Adams, commanding officer of the Artillery Company, expressed the appreciation of the visitors and the hospitality accorded them in Montreal. "We were overwhelmed by the welcome accorded us by the people, and by the fine escort provided the Royal Victoria Rifles," he said.

Tomorrow the Artillerymen will parade from Mount Royal Hotel to the Cenotaph on Dominion Sq. where they will deposit a wreath in honor of the war dead. The "Field Day" will close with the annual banquet tomorrow night.

## Navy Minister Says 200,000 in Armed Forces

Macdonald Addresses Closing Banquet of Visitors From Boston

Canada's growing navy now numbers 25,000 men. Its air force has 75,000 men and there are 100,000 soldiers already serving overseas.

These figures were given last night by Hon. Angus Macdonald, Minister of Defence for Naval Affairs, to the concluding banquet of the three day visit of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts in the Mount Royal Hotel.

He gave other figures. Canada's 12,000,000 people, have so far footed a bill of \$1,500,000,000 for the training and equipping of their fighting men. Canada, far from demanding cash on the barrelhead for its exports to England, has this year alone extended credits of \$1,000,000,000 for wheat and butter, guns and bacon, ammunition and fish—all materials badly needed in England, and produced in Canada.

The 200 members of the Artillery Company cheered these figures.

In the speeches made by their own members, the visitors pointed out that they had come to Montreal for the annual fall exercises to show their sympathy for the cause in which Canada is fighting.

"We came to give visible proof of our support," said Lewis C. Adams, captain of the company. "We know that our friends over there have gone through hell. We know that there is more to come. We also know that they can take it, and that with God's help and ours they soon will be able to dish out even more than they received."

### "WE ARE WITH YOU"

"Gentlemen of Canada, our brief message to you is this: We are with you and of you. Between us there is no boundary line!"

Mr. Macdonald introduced by Hon. J. P. Moffat, United States minister to Ottawa, replied to the toast to "Canada," and spoke of the Canadian war effort.

He spoke of the fact that most of Europe has succumbed to the dictators but that Britain has taken up their challenge and stands alone to bar their road to the west.

"But she is not alone," he said, "for her equal partners in the British Commonwealth of Nations have risen of their own free will and choice, by the consent of their Parliaments, to help her."

What is true of Canada, he pointed out, is equally true of the other members of the British Commonwealth, and of those parts of the Empire which have not yet achieved Dominion status.

"No," he said. "Britain is not alone, for she also hears a mighty voice coming across the Atlantic—the voice of what I believe to be the majority of your people. And that voice gives encouragement."

Responding to the toast of "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts," Governor Lysterett Saltonstall spoke of "the common cause of security and freedom in which our country and your Dominion are forever joined."

### U. S. SHIPYARDS BUSY

He told of busy shipyards in his state turning out battleships for the United States Navy, repairing fighting ships for Britain. He spoke of factories working 24 hours a day and rushing supplies of ammunition and equipment to Britain.

"We must remember," he said, "that the ships and weapons which we are building are not just symbols of national strength or international friendship. They are fighting weapons. When ships sail under orders to shoot at anyone who threatens the freedom of the sea, it means that they may be fired upon. It means that some of our forces are in constant risk of their lives; just as your Canadian boys have risked theirs for many long months now."

Governor Saltonstall declared that prayers alone to end the days of bombing and of blitzes are not sufficient that concerted action is necessary. He stated that Massachusetts was all out for defence and that "we must see to it that what we produce reaches the countries fighting to halt the Axis aggression. We must redouble our production."



## Ancient and Honorables Off to Montreal Field Day



**PARADE IN RAIN**—Members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company marching on Canal st. on their way to North Station to entrain for Montreal.

Unmindful of the rain, the brilliantly-uniformed Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts paraded today from their headquarters in Faneuil Hall along Union st. to the North Station, en route to the 304th Fall field day in Montreal.

Only a scattered few braved the rain to witness the parade. About 200 of the Ancients were in line. Capt. Louis C. Adams of West

Newton was chief marshal. Also at the head of the parade were Lieut. Eugene A. Hudson and Lieut. Andrew S. Seiler.

Upon arriving at the sheltered North Station concourse, the paraders were accorded a vociferous reception. The Ancients, accustomed to fair weather on their gala day, seemed glad to be back on dry footing.

A detail of mounted police direct-

ed by Lieut. John Donovan cleared the way for the parade through the market district.

The Ancients left Boston on a 10 o'clock special train and will reach their destination tonight.

Gov. Saltonstall, Mayor Tobin, Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook and Brig. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson are expected to entrain for Montreal later to take part in the field

day exercises and parade on Monday.

A dinner at the Mt. Royal Hotel tonight is the first scheduled event. Not since 1887 has the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company gone to Canada for a field day. At that time the Ancients visited Quebec.

## ANCIENT COMPANY SEES LAURENTIANS

Day in Mountains Provides  
Vivid Spectacle for New  
England Visitors

FRIENDSHIP IS KEYNOTE

Samuel Bronfman Lauds U.S.  
Assistance at Luncheon  
to Visitors at  
Distillery

By STANLEY JACKSON

Quebec's famed Laurentian Mountains, garbed in their breath-taking tints of autumn, proved an entrancing spectacle yesterday for the 150 prominent citizens of New England, members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, here for their annual three-day fall field outing.

It was raining when the visitors, dressed in their impressive uniforms, left the Mount Royal Hotel in the morning by buses, and there was still a slight drizzle as they arrived at the Alpine Inn, Ste. Marguerite. When the members emerged after luncheon, however, the rain had stopped and the sun came out shortly afterward to throw as it seemed a super-Hollywood spotlight on the kaleidoscopic spectacle of mountains in autumn time, with the leaves and whole hillsides displaying a profusion of reds and golds, yellows and browns, and with the perennial greens giving an added tone to the inspiring scene.

Right away the buses were ordered out and the whole group set out on an inspection tour of surrounding scenery, including a visit to Domaine D'Estherel. Many were the complimentary expressions of the visitors. To give a final crowning touch to the afternoon inspection tour, and as if to make up for the morning rain, the sun went down in a blaze of glory, suffusing remaining clouds on the horizon with a dazzling radiance of burnished gold, a sight even eclipsing the glowing mountain panorama.

Later it showered again but by that time the members of the party were back again in the cosy quarters of the Alpine Inn. There they had been met and made welcome by H. F. Gibson, a hotel official. Dinner was taken, and the visitors returned to the Mount Royal Hotel around midnight.

### N.B. GROUP PRESENT.

Capt. L. C. Adams, commanding officer of the company, presided at the Alpine functions. A group given a warm welcome was from Saint John, N.B., headed by D. L. MacLaren, former mayor of that city, who is an honorary member of the company. Others from that city present included Dr. V. D. Davidson, Dr. D. C. Malcolm, Dr. G. B. Peat, J. B. Dever, G. W. Barry and Maj. L. McC. Ritchie. From local military circles were Col. Andrew Fleming, representing M.D. No. 4, Lt. Col. F. M. McRobie, former O.C. of

the Victoria Rifles of Canada; Maj. E. L. Hall, D.S.O., M.C., representing Lt.-Col. C. F. Ritchie, D.S.O., present O.C. of the Victoria Rifles of Canada, 2nd Battalion, and Capt. T. Redpath, adjutant of the same regiment. Mark Galusha, secretary to the Governor of Massachusetts, was present; the Governor, Leverett Saltonstall, arrives in Montreal this morning to attend the remaining functions.

Other main attraction of the week-end for the visitors was an inspection tour of the Ville Lasalle plant of Distillers Corporation Limited, followed by a reception and luncheon. Samuel Bronfman, president of the corporation, presided and spoke on Canada's appreciation of U.S. efforts to aid in bringing about the defeat of Hitler.

Mayor Adhemar Raynault extended a civic welcome, after which he proposed a toast to the President of the United States. Lt.-Col. C. F. Ritchie proposed a toast to the visitors, to which Capt. L. C. Adams, the company's O.C., replied. Frederick W. Cook, Secretary of State for Massachusetts, speaking briefly, said there was no question in his mind that the United States was doing everything it could to bring the present world war to a successful conclusion. He referred to the launching of new warships and the United States in recent weeks and the expanding production of aircraft, many of which were immediately marked with the insignia

of the British service. Mr. Cook quoted a verse which, he said, typified the attitude of the United States: "By the sword we seek peace, but peace only under liberty."

Samuel Bronfman, given an ovation on rising to address the gathering, observed: "At this time particularly your visit is unusually significant. While the British Empire is fighting to uphold and preserve democracy, you have chosen to celebrate the 304th anniversary of the founding of your company in a country which is an important part of the British Commonwealth of Nations, and which, at this time, is straining every nerve and those of freedom-loving countries which are equally anxious to see the overthrow of Hitler and his minions. Your visit typifies the friendship which exists between Canada and the United States. It is symbolical of a comradeship in spirit which has never been firmer than in these perilous days. While our Empire is at war this comradeship, this friendship is being translated into terms of support which you are giving to us and which has far more than a commercial value. Its effect on the morale of our enemies must be devastating."

### OUTLOOK BRIGHTER.

"We have already passed through two years of war. We have fought and are still fighting in several

theatres of war. With dogged steps we have slogged through the storm-circled forests of despair, but we are now gradually emerging into the sunlit glades where accomplishments are as the dancing rays of the sun continuously stabbing the three short dots and the long dash of the V symbol. Soon, your president has assured the British people, your aid will be a mighty torrent which will help engulf Hitler and Mussolini.

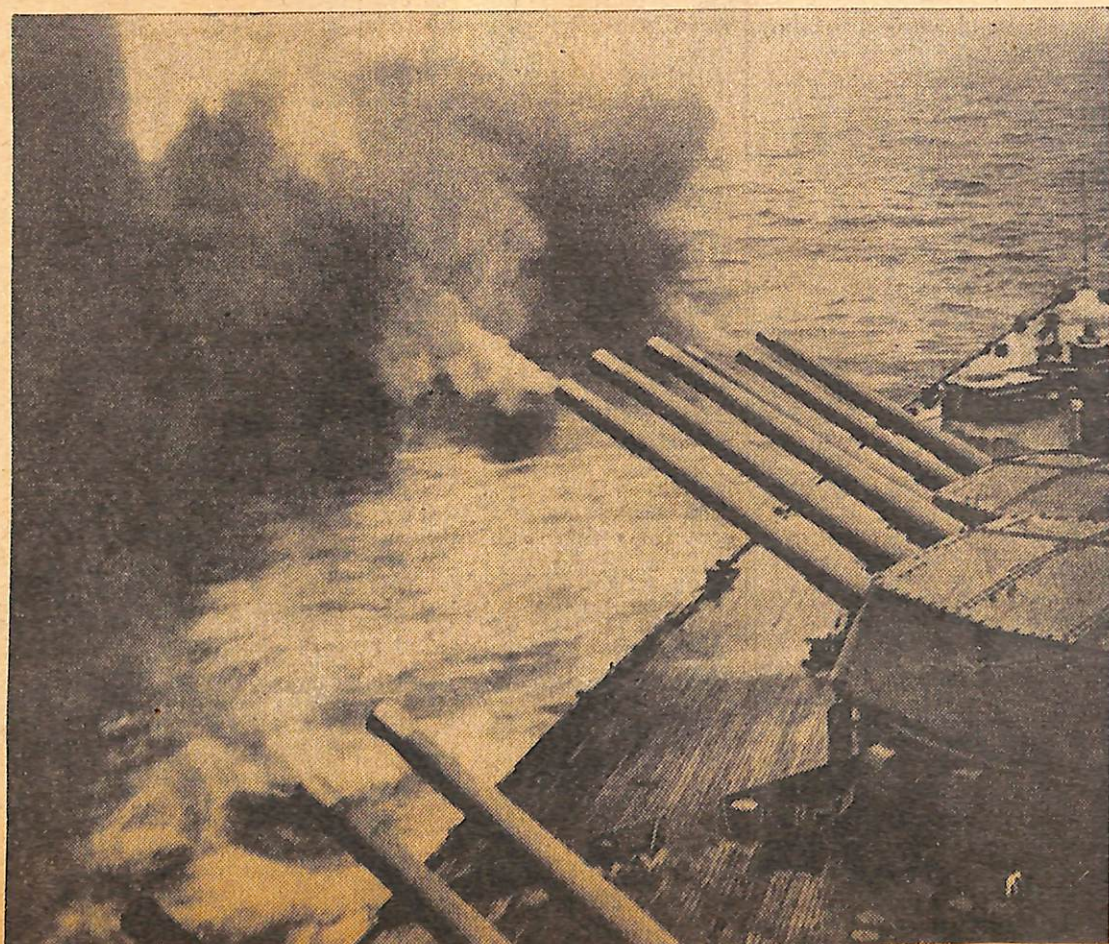
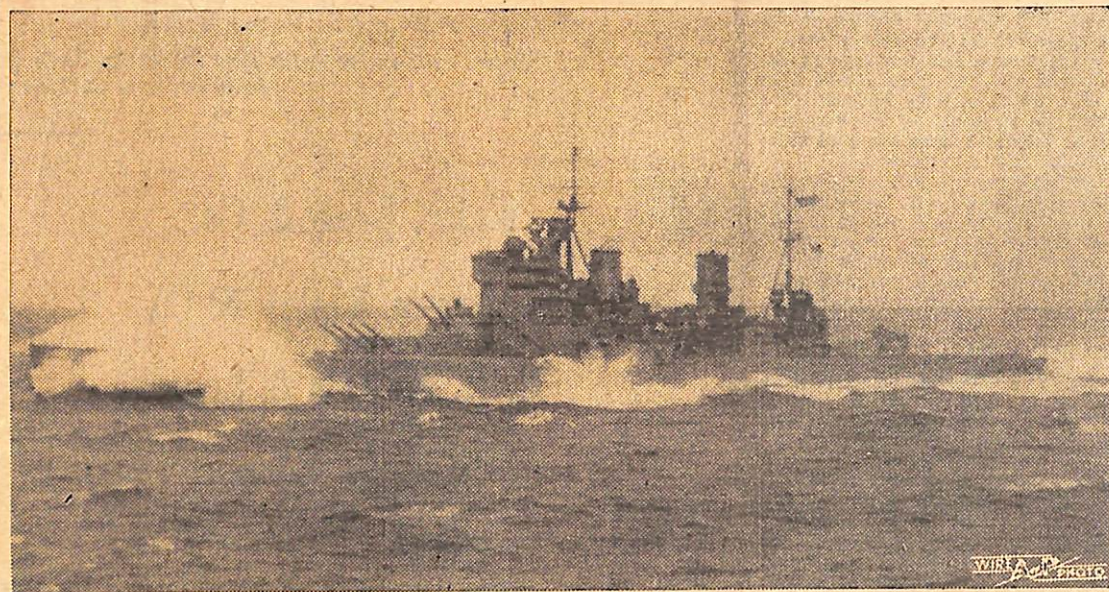
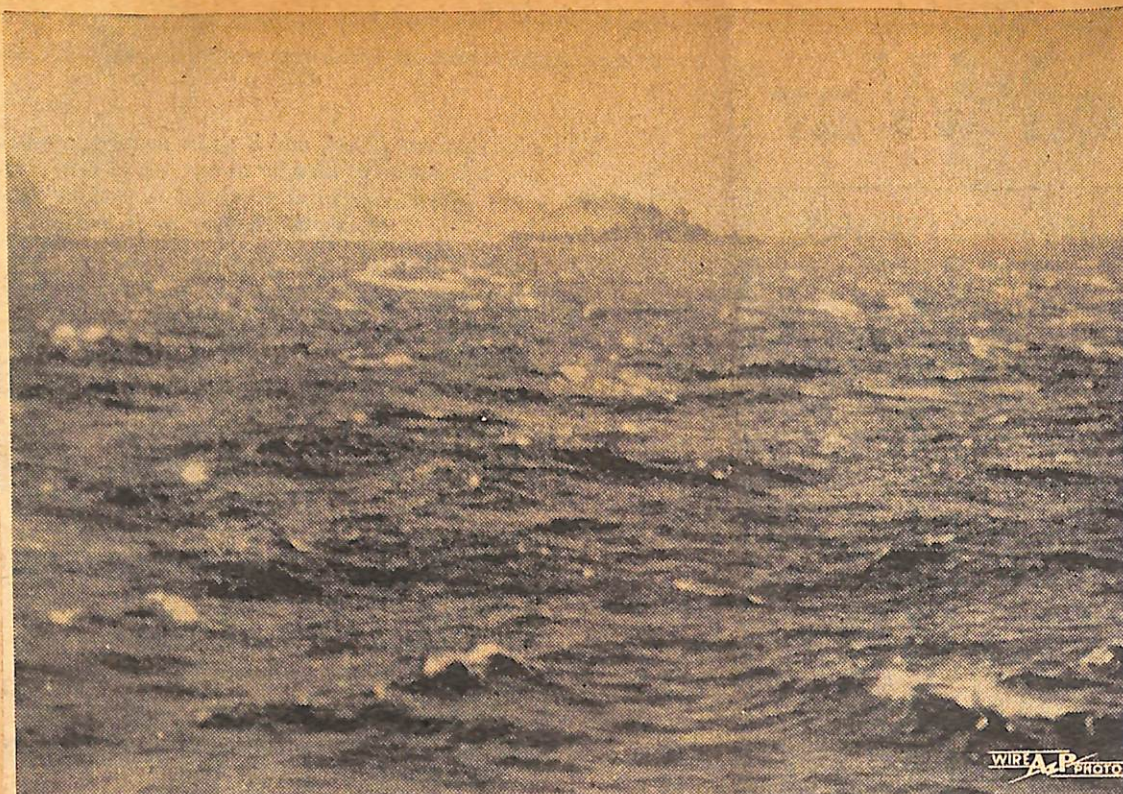
"Britain and the United States cannot be beaten. That victory is certain, inevitable, and let there be no doubt in the minds of the faint-hearted. Whether it be peace or war the mutual esteem which exists between your people and ours is the greatest force for good for the whole world and the best possible guarantee of progress. When this war is over the United States and Canada will again go forward, arm in arm to scale the heights of progress. The future holds out hope for us, the hope that eventually other countries will follow the example of the United States and Canada living side by side in a spirit of amity. Let there be more of these visits for it is these meetings which help to strengthen our friendship as with bonds of steel."



New Hampshire state officials who visited Montreal recently with members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston, are seen above chatting with their host and other members. Left to right, Harry Bronfman, president of the House of Seagram and host at the luncheon, during which the above photo was taken; Deputy Secretary of State Harry E. Jackson of Manchester; Maj. Gen. Frank R. Schwengel, New York City; Secretary of State Enoch Fuller of Manchester, and an unidentified member of the company.



**BATTLE WITH THE BISMARCK**—Top photo, taken from H. M. S. Norfolk, shows Nazi superdreadnaught under fire. Middle, the battleship George V racing into action against Bismarck. Below, mighty guns of the Rodney whose salvos of 16-inch shells finally silenced the Bismarck.





# Rodney Captain Tells of Fight With Bismarck

## Says 'School Boy Trick' Helped British Dodge German Shells

(A first-hand account of the end of the German battleship Bismarck has come into possession of the Globe, the story as related by Capt. F. H. G. Dalrymple-Hamilton, commanding officer of the H. M. S. Rodney, one of the British battleships that was in at the sinking of Germany's finest fighting ship. Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton's story has reached the Globe from sources that cannot be revealed, but are entirely trustworthy.)

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"It was not much fun at the end," said Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton. "The Bismarck was helpless. All her guns were out of action. She was very low in the water, in fact her quarter-deck was almost awash. Smoke was pouring out of her. It was rather grim to go on and finish a fellow who could not fight back. But he had given no sign of striking his flag, or of surrender, and after all our job was to finish him off as quickly as we could."

Even so, though the 16-inch guns of the Rodney and the 14-inch guns of the King George V were hurling their salvos from a range of about 1½ miles, point-blank range for such weapons, the Bismarck did not sink.

"I have no idea how many times we hit her; it was many times," said the Rodney's captain. "But in spite of these hits we never caused any internal explosion that would finish the ship and it became evident that sinking her by gunfire was going to be a long job. Although I think the Bismarck would have sunk eventually, the Dorsetshire was sent in to end her with torpedoes, and then she went down."

### Bismarck Not Helpless

The Bismarck, however, was far from helpless when the Rodney and the King George V first engaged her on the morning of May 27, a gray, overcast day with a considerable sea running. The Bismarck had been hit by at least six torpedoes at that time, her speed was cut down to very little and she was not easily maneuvered. But the fire power of her great guns had not been impaired.

"I formed no opinion on the size of the Bismarck," said Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton. "She looked like a big lump of a ship to me, but I was too busy fighting my own ship to do any figuring on how large she was. One of the officers on a cruiser of ours, who had the Rodney and the Bismarck at about equal distances, thought the Bismarck was very much larger than us, but I could not say myself."

The engagement began at about 25,000 yards, with the Bismarck and Rodney both steering a southerly course. Throughout the action, which lasted for nearly an hour, the Bismarck chose the Rodney as her target, yet in spite of the reputation of German gunners for accuracy the Rodney not once suffered a direct hit.

### Bismarck's Guns "Grisly"

"I do not know what caliber the German's guns were," said Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton, "but they looked very grisly to me. As a matter of fact we had no casualties whatever on the Rodney. O, some chaps caught their fingers in a door, or fell down stairs, or whatever, but none were hurt by gunfire. We had some splinters from the Bismarck's shells come aboard and I would like to show you them except that the Admiralty took them away from us so they might figure out the caliber of the guns she carried."

Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton accounted for the German inability to hit the Rodney in three ways: first, he said, "we did a bit of salvo dodging"—meaning that, for instance, if a salvo fell short, the captain steered his ship toward the point where the shells fell, on the theory that the Germans would lengthen the range for the next salvo and so the shells would go over.

"It is a schoolboy trick," said the captain, "but it sometimes works. Of course, you can't do too much of it because you must keep your own guns going and you can't put them off the target by changing course too much. You can't throw 16-inch guns about like sticks, you know."

The second reason, and probably more important, was that an early hit by the Rodney, or the King George V, put the fire control apparatus of the Bismarck out of commission and thereby hampered the Germans in aiming their guns.

The third reason was physical and psychological, in the captain's opinion.

"He'd been through a hellish three days," said the captain, "and it is possible he was not in too good condition for the fight."

### Bismarck In "Cross Fire"

When the action was finally joined the Rodney and the Bismarck were sailing converging courses, the Rodney was slightly ahead of the Bismarck and steadily turning toward her; the King George V was off the stern quarter of the Bismarck and was also steadily reducing the range.

"We had her in a cross fire," said the captain, "so that the splashes of our shells did not interfere with each other and we could spot our shots easily. The Bismarck really took a frightful hammering."

The Rodney scored a hit on the third salvo and from then on was consistently on the target. The

for survivors would be an easy mark for air attack or for submarines. You must keep moving."

### Luftwaffe Too Late

The air attack was delivered the next day and it fell on the destroyers who had taken part in the last battle of the Bismarck. By that time both the Rodney and the King George V, the latter being short of fuel, were north of Ireland on their way to a British port, but the destroyers, because they, too, were short of fuel and therefore had been unable to run at high speed, were caught near the southern coast of Ireland, and as a result one of them was sunk.

First reports that the Bismarck had been sighted reached the Rodney on May 23 when she was leading a convoy escort of five destroyers some few hundred miles west of Ireland. At that time the cruisers Norfolk and Suffolk were patrolling the Denmark Straits with the Hood and the Prince of Wales in support; other cruisers were patrolling the seas between Iceland and the north of Scotland with the King George V and the aircraft carrier Victorious in support; the Rodney and Ramilies were on convoy duty to the westward of Ireland and the Repulse was still further west, nearly in mid-Atlantic.

### Hood's Fate Dashes Hopes

The next thing Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton heard was that the Hood and the Prince of Wales were in contact with the Bismarck, and everybody felt very good about that; but this information was followed very soon by the information that the Hood had blown up, the Prince of Wales was damaged and the Bismarck and Prinz Eugen were making for the Atlantic at 26 knots speed.

"Our orders from the commander-in-chief were to drop the convoy and proceed to such point as to intercept the Bismarck," said the captain. "Well, the Bismarck was making 26 knots and we could do only 21 so there was no possible sense in turning north after him, nor could we hope to catch him if he turned west. We tried to figure out what he was most likely to do and it seemed three principal choices were open to him."

"He could return to Germany as he had come, through the Denmark straits, or he could attempt to go between Iceland and Scotland across the North Sea, or he could attempt to reach either the coast of France or of Spain. We could do nothing about it if he chose either of the first two courses, but we could get across his path to the French coast. And that is where we headed for."

Now the Prince of Wales, the captain remarked, had been with the fleet only four days and had not by any means completed her practises. She was not a broken-in ship and was hardly in fair condition to take on a major battle. Also the aircraft carrier Victorious is a brand new ship, he said, and had only just received her flying forces. In fact, he said, some of her flyers had never in their lives landed on the deck of an airplane carrier.

### Torpedo Attack Launched

"The next we heard," said the captain, "was that a torpedo attack had been sent in from the Victorious. That was on the night of the 24th, about 10 o'clock I think, and not quite dark. It was really, for their first time out, a notable effort."

By this time the Rodney—and, incidentally, the Rodney was further embarrassed by the fact that she had some 500 passengers on board—had left her five destroyers. Her course required her to run into the seas, which were high and mean, and the destroyers could not stay with her on that course. The Rodney continued until she got approximately at the point the Bismarck must cross if she made for the French Coast.

In the meantime, Capt. Dalrymple-Hamilton learned that the battle-cruiser Renown and the aircraft carrier Ark Royal were moving up toward him from Gibraltar.

Thereafter the Rodney cruised back and forth until the night of May 26. May 25 and May 26 were low days. Although the Prince of Wales had succeeded in engaging the Bismarck briefly at long range and although another torpedo attack had been sent in, without results, sometime on the 25th the Bismarck succeeded in shaking off her pursuers in the mists and murky weather. For the first time the British lost touch with her.

### Located by Air Patrol

Then in the late afternoon of the 26th the Bismarck was picked up again by a "Catalina" flying patrol boat. During the night of the 25th she had passed the Rodney some 40 miles to the south. Immediately a torpedo flight was ordered to attack from the Ark Royal.

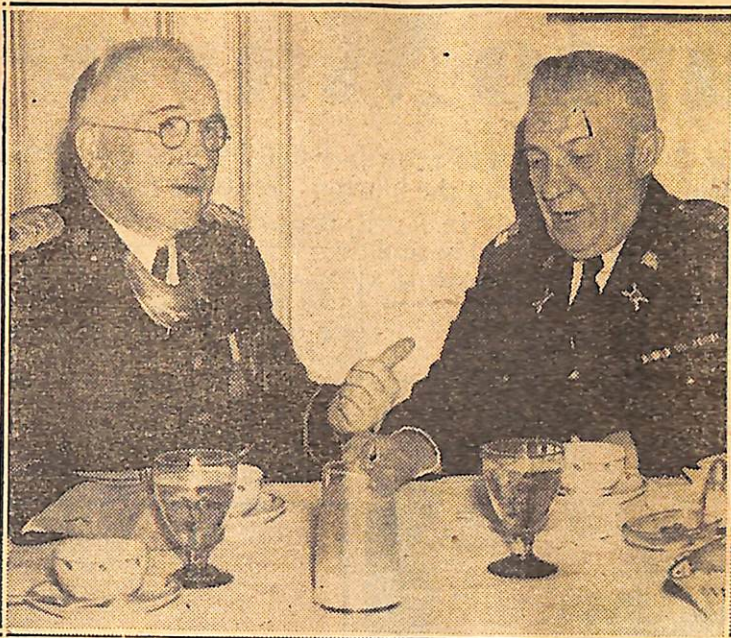
"I felt very blue about it," said the captain. "We had turned toward the Bismarck as soon as her location was known, but she was past us and she was not far from the French coast, and I did not believe we could overtake her. I told our crew over the speaking system that it did not look good, that I thought the fellow had gotten away with it. On this evening, the 26th,

then or to wait for daylight, you can fight a battleship in dark—we have means of doing but it is not so good, and too things might go wrong with so ships about. Furthermore, the destroyers had the Bismarck close watch—they had surrounded her in fact—so there seemed real need for going in at night we waited for daylight.

"During the night the destroyers attacked—separately, for there was no sense in risking them once, and their principal job was to keep the Bismarck under way—and the next morning, after 9, I think it was, we Bismarck in range, at about 10 yards."



# Hub 'Ancients' March



**CAPT. ALBERT E. ROBERTS      CAPT. LOUIS C. ADAMS**  
*Retiring, new commanders of Ancient and Honorables*

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston formed ranks for celebration of their 303d anniversary today and marched to King's Chapel burying ground for ceremonies at the grave of their first captain, Robert Keayne.

At noon, members will assemble at Faneuil Hall for the annual pa-

rade to Old South Church in Copley sq.

The route includes review by Mayor Tobin in front of City Hall and by Gov. Saltonstall opposite the State House.

The Rev. Raymond Lang, a major of the U. S. Army, was scheduled to preach the anniversary sermon at Old South Church. Afterward the Ancients were to march to the Common for the annual drumhead election and naming of the new captain.

The pre-anniversary dinner was held last night at the Copley-Plaza where Capt. Albert E. Roberts of Braintree, presided.

Tonight the anniversary banquet will be held at the same hotel

## *Louis C. Adams Honored*

On June 2nd Louis (Lou) Adams was elected Captain Commander of the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company. Mr. Adams' active service record is as follows: *Spanish American War*, 1898-1899; *Philippine Insurrection*, 1899-1900-1901. Pioneer service in Luzon and Mindanaro, following Dewey's Battle at Manila Bay. *Boxer Rebellion in China*; *Manila Police Dept.*, 1901-1902 (Last days of Pioneering). *Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company*, 2nd Lieutenant in 1937 trip to England. Reception by King George VI. Guests of Honorable Artillery Company of London. 1st Lieutenant and Acting Commander in 1939-1940. *Elected Captain* June 2, 1941.

Mr. Adams also has a son, Louis C. Adams, Jr., who is 1st Lieutenant U. S. Army, Aviation—16th Bombardment Squadron—located at Savannah, Georgia.

Lou is very well known among the drug trade, having covered New England for several pharmaceutical houses before coming to Gilman Brothers, as manager of their liquor department, three years ago.

*With orchids*

*With Love*

*to Frances*

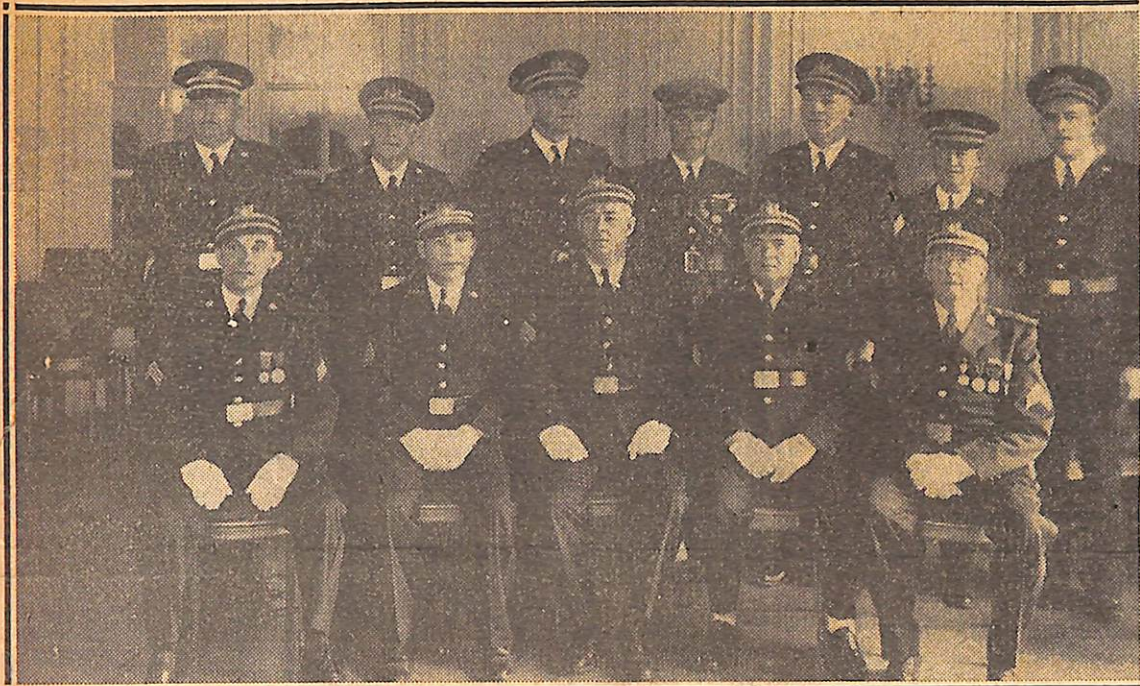
*from Mary Malley*

MRS. LOUIS C. ADAMS





# Ancient and Honorable Sergeants To Have Outing in Wayland



Sergeants of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. Front row—A. E. Perrault, E. P. MacGillivray, E. A. Spry, H. R. Moulton, G. H. Strauch. Back row—W. E. Crowley, F. S. Waterman, I. R. Shaw, J. V. Hughes, S. M. Hannon, R. A. Perry, A. P. Westman.

The recently elected sergeants of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company are planning the first social event of their regime. It will be held on Wednesday, June 25 at Seiler's Ten Acres in Wayland.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, the oldest organized military company in the United States, originated as an educational institution for the training of officers 303 years ago. The sergeants, who hold the same position relatively as company commanders

in a regiment, have always had an important part in its affairs.

His Excellency, Governor Leverett Saltonstall, the sixth generation of his family to serve in the company's ranks, will be present at Wednesday's party. Mayor Maurice J. Tobin, who is also near and dear to the hearts of all Ancients, will help to make the day an enjoyable one.

The various committees have arranged a bang-up programme. An outstanding event will be a tug-of-war across the swimming pool between the sergeants of infantry led by Top Ser-

geant Edward Spry of Allston and the sergeants of artillery under the command of Sergeant Earle P. MacGillivray of Waltham. First Lieutenant Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville will battle for honors in a motor paced bicycle race against Second Lieutenant Andrew S. Seiler of Newton Centre.

Captain Louis C. Adams of Newton, the present commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, together with a group of past commanders, will be on hand to welcome the several hundred comrades and friends who will attend the outing.

MONTREAL,

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1941

## Military Group May Meet Here

Massachusetts Body  
Expected in Montreal  
Next October

Members of the oldest military organization on this continent will probably convene in Montreal in October for a five-day session if present plans are completed. The organization is the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts which was founded in 1637 and has had continuous existence since then in Boston.

Today Captain L. C. Adams, commander of the company, visited Mayor Adhemar Raynault to make the final arrangements. The convention will probably be held in the Mount Royal Hotel and will bring between 200 and 250 members of the company to Montreal. The Fall Field Day Exercises, as the meeting is officially known, were last held in Montreal in 1926, although the "Ancients" have visited several other Canadian cities since then.

Descended from the Honourable Artillery Company of London, which is 100 years older, the Massachusetts organization was founded at a time of domestic disturbance in Boston.

It served with Myles Standish and his Pilgrim soldiers against the Indians in 1645 and some of its members fought in England under Cromwell. Later the company took part in the campaigns against the French at Quebec and at Louisbourg.

Members of the company played an active part in the American Revolution, some of them taking part in the Boston Tea Party.

The Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company is part of the militia organization of the State of Massachusetts but since the institution of the federalized National Guard in the United States it is no longer an active military unit. Most of its members are older men who have served in the armed forces of the U.S.A.

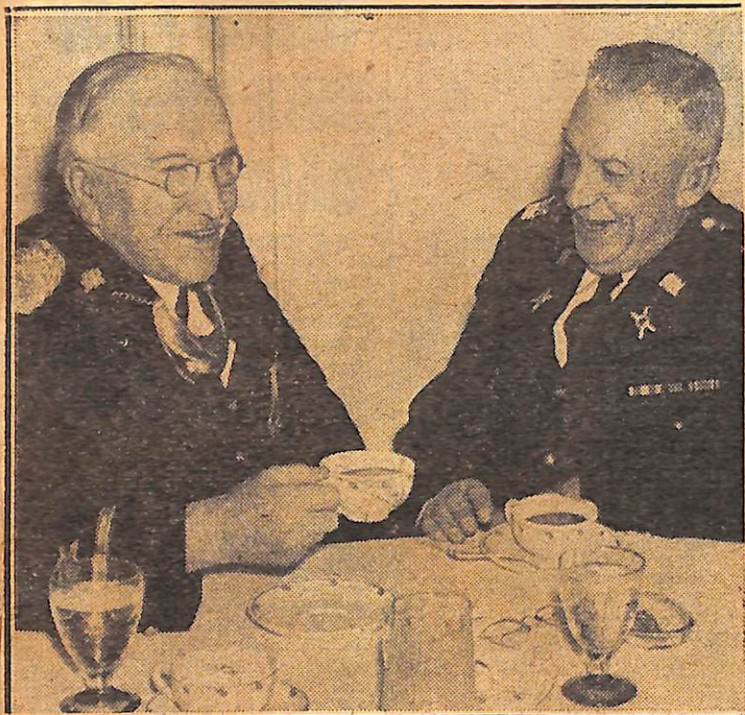
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**ON ANNIVERSARY PARADE**—The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, celebrating its 303rd anniversary with pomp and color, is shown above marching down Tremont street today. A drum head election on Boston Common later placed new officers in command.



Boston Evening American Photo

**CEREMONIAL OF BREAKFAST**—The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston struts its stuff again . . . with a parade through downtown streets and a breakfast at the Copley-Plaza hotel at which are shown (left) Capt. Albert E. Roberts of Braintree, retiring commander, and Capt. Louis C. Adams of Newton, new commander, both in uniform.

Following the colorful and time-hallowed tradition of three centuries, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company yesterday held its annual drumhead election on Boston Common, electing Louis C. Adams of Newton to succeed Albert E. Roberts as commander.

The election was the peak of a program of pageantry staged in observance of the 303rd anniversary of the military organization—which dates back to Colonial days—the ceremonies including a parade, memorial exercises, church services, reunion gatherings and the annual banquet at the Copley Plaza last evening.

A distinguished member of the Ancients, as the organization is commonly called, Gov. Saltonstall marched with the historic group, joining the marches as they passed the State House and later falling out of line to review the parade on Boston Common.

Assembling at Faneuil Hall at noon, the colorfully-uniformed paraders were reviewed by Mayor Tobin at City Hall as they passed up School st.

Members of a score of patriotic and veteran groups, including some of the oldest military organizations in the country, were in the line of march.

Officers chosen at the traditional drumhead election, in addition to Cap. Adams, are:

Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, 1st lieut.; Andrew S. Sells of Newton, 2d lieut.; Edward A. Spry of Boston, 1st sergt. of infantry; Harvey R. Moulton of Waban, 2d sergt. of infantry; Joseph V. Hughes of Newtonville, 3d sergt. of infantry.

Frank S. Waterman of Boston, 4th sergt. of infantry; Irving R. Shaw of Springfield, 5th sergt. of infantry; Roy A. Perry of Boston, 6th sergt. of infantry; Earle P. McGilivray of Weston, 1st sergt. of artillery; Alvin P. Westman of Boston, 2d sergt. of artillery.

George H. Strauch of Waltham, 2d sergt. of artillery; A. Eugene Perrault of Newton, 4th sergt. of artillery; Wallace E. Crowley of Boston, 5th sergt. of artillery, and Stephen M. Hannon of Boston, 6th sergt. of artillery.

Others are: Maj. William H. Wilson of Somerville, quartermaster; Lieut. George W. Thornburg of Newton, commissary; Lieut. George E. Hall of Needham, paymaster; Lieut. Rudolph Wismer of Roslindale, asst. paymaster, and Sergt. William E. Crosby of Newton, clerk.

## ANCIENTS IN PROMISE TO AID DEFENCE

Hail Pledges of Mayor  
and Governor at

Banquet

Today and we want to show him how we are working." He told of the new national guard enlistments having exceeded their quotas and of pending "waiting lists."

Mayor Tobin was introduced by Captain Albert E. Roberts, who presided, as a man who "the longer we see him the better we like him." He told the artillerymen their organization saw Boston grow from 3000 to a city of more than 800,000. He emphasized, the "real danger ahead," and he told of Boston through its auxiliary fire fighting force—the first of any in the United States—being ready now to respond to "any emergency that may arise in peace or in war."

State Praised

Lieutenant-Colonel John C. Mullenix, of the general staff headquarters of the first corps area, quoted a post-Revolutionary statement of "Light Horse Harry" which in that day recognized it as a "folly" and a "wickedness" to send untrained men of the same age into battle with trained men better equipped. This the colonel, who represented General George C. Woodruff, said was being voided in the present crisis. Rear Admiral Tarrant of the first naval district in a two-sentence address, spoke of the navy as always drawing its greatest support from Massachusetts.

Only reformers favored the bill, Rep. Nathan of Roxbury placed before them.





## **ANCIENTS PARADE ON 303RD ANNIVERSARY**

Led by Capt. Commanding Louis C. Adams, Newton, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company marches along Tremont st. from Faneuil Hall, for services at Old South Church, Copley sq. Mayor Tobin reviewed them at City Hall and Gov. Saltonstall at State House. They paused at King's Chapel burying ground to honor their first captain, Robert Keayne.

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**DECORATE GRAVE** of former commander of the Ancients in the Old Granary burial grounds. Capt. Albert E. Roberts (left), and members of his staff place a wreath on the grave at solemn exercises today.



# Ancients Hear Quebec War Efforts Praised

**Louis C. Adams of  
W. Newton Elected  
Captain Commander**

Quebec, whose population is 68 per cent. French, is second to no Canadian province in rendering all-out aid to Great Britain, Mayor Adhemer Raynault of Montreal declared here yesterday in his first visit to Boston since the outbreak of the war.

Raynault, here as the principal guest of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts at its 303d anniversary, insisted that Canada was a united dominion in the war crisis and that its people were doing all that was humanly possible to help the mother country.

## FIRST IN RECRUITING

As for the province of Quebec, Mayor Raynault said it was the first of all Canadian provinces to complete recruiting at the beginning of the war and emphasized that three of the province's eight infantry battalions were completely French, with the remaining battalions comprised of one-fifth French strength.

"There have been strikes in Canada since the war started," he said, "but not one of them has occurred in Quebec. There is no discussion there about what should be done in the war itself. They follow the government like soldiers."

Raynault was elected mayor of Montreal last December, a few months after Mayor Camillien Houde was placed in a concentration camp for exhorting his constituents not to register for the Canadian draft.

He spoke last night at the Copley-Plaza after the Ancients, as they have done annually for 303 years, marched through the city from morning until late afternoon at exercises climaxed by their drill and drumhead election on Boston Common.

Other speakers at the banquet included the Governor, the mayor, Senator Lodge, Rear Admiral William T. Tarrant, the Rev. Samuel M. Lindsay, Capt. Adams, the new commander, and Capt. Roberts, retiring commander.

## ADAMS NEW CAPTAIN

Elected to succeed George E. Roberts of Braintree as captain commanding the corps was Louis Charles Adams of West Newton, a veteran of the Spanish-American war. The two other leading officers named were Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, first lieutenant, and Andrew S. Seiler of Newton, second lieutenant.

The parade through the city was witnessed by more than 200,000 spectators, and thousands of others thronged the Common for the drumhead election. The new officers received their commissions from Gov.



**NEW OFFICERS** of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts following the drumhead election on the Common yesterday include, left to right, Lt. Eugene A. Hudson, Capt. Louis C. Adams, commanding officer, Lt. Andrew S. Seiler and Lt. Thomas F. McGinnis.

Saltonstall, and the colorful column marched back to the Copley-Plaza for the annual banquet.

Although it was raining when reveille sounded outside the Copley-Plaza yesterday morning, the sun broke through by afternoon and shone brightly on the resplendent uniforms and plumes of visiting color guards of military units from neighboring states.

Marching with the Ancients were the Newport Artillery, the Worcester City Guard Veterans' Association; the Old Guard of the City of New York, Infantry Veterans of Providence, United Train of Artillery from Providence, the National Lancers of Boston, Providence First Light Infantry, Second Company of the Governor's Foot Guards, New Haven; the Lexington Minute Men, Salem Light Infantry Veterans, Old Guard State Fencibles of Philadelphia, Second Corps Cadets Veterans' Association of Salem, the Worcester Continentals, the Varum Continentals of East Greenwich, R. I., the Kentish Guards of East Greenwich, the First Company of the Governor's Foot Guard, Hartford, Ct., and the Fusiliers of Boston.

The oldest man in line was 84-year-old Col. Irving T. French, who sported white whiskers and the light blue and buff continental uniform of the United Train of Artillery of Providence.

Mayor Tobin, Secretary of State Cook and other notables reviewed the drill on the Common with Gov. Saltonstall, and a coast artillery battery saluted with cannon the incoming officers after they received their commissions from the Governor and retired to the ranks.

At the drum head election, those chosen besides the three leading officers were:

Edward A. Spry, Boston, 1st ser-

## Southern California Honors B. U. President

[Special Dispatch to The Herald]

**LOS ANGELES, Calif., June 2—**

Dr. Daniel L. Marsh, president of Boston University, was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws by the University of Southern California at its annual commencement exercises today in the Los Angeles Coliseum. The degree was in recognition of his distinguished service in the field of Christian education.

gent of infantry; Harvey R. Moulton, Waban, 2nd sergeant of infantry; Joseph V. Hughes, Newton, 3d sergeant of infantry; Frank S. Waterman, Boston, 4th sergeant of infantry; Irving R. Shaw, Springfield, 5th sergeant of infantry; Roy A. Perry, Boston, 6th sergeant of infantry; Earle P. McGillivray, Weston, 1st sergeant of artillery; Alvin P. Westman, Boston, 2d sergeant of artillery; George H. Strauch, Waltham, 3d sergeant of artillery; A. Eugene Perrault, Boston, 4th sergeant of artillery; Wallace E. Crowley, Boston, 5th sergeant of artillery; Stephen N. Hannon, Boston, 6th sergeant of artillery.

Staff officers elected were:

Lt. George E. Hall, Boston, paymaster; Lt. George W. Thornburg, Newton, commissary; William H. Wilson, Somerville, quartermaster; Lt. Rudolph Wismer, Roslindale, assistant paymaster; Sergt. Major William E. Crosby, Newton, clerk.

Staff appointments were:

Lt.-Col. Charles T. Cahill, chief of staff; Capt. Frederic E. Perreira, adjutant; Lt. Thomas F. McGinnis, personnel adjutant; Lt. Andrew A. Gorey, judge advocate; medical staff, Lt. Ervin A. Eastman, Lt.-Comdr. John R. Marshall, Lt. Philip E. A.

Sheridan; Capt. Edward P. Brock, infantry wing adjutant; Col. Arthur N. Payne, artillery wing adjutant; Lt. James E. Hughes, ordnance officer; Sergt. Joseph V. Hughes, assistant ordnance officer; Lt. Joseph E. Grinfield-Coxwell, Liaison officer.

Non-commissioned staff appointments: Sergt. Charles Dawe, personal sergeant-major; Sergt. William S. Pote, sergeant-major; Sergt. James H. Graham, quartermaster-sergeant; Napoleon R. Amelotte, commissary sergeant; John R. McTavish, hospital sergeant; chief of color sergeants, Lt. Ichabod Bunker; Edward J. Kane and Harold J. McAdoo, color sergeants; E. Douglas MacPherson and Charles J. Robison, color guards; Capt. Edward J. Verre, right wing guidon; Lt. John C. O'Neil, left wing guidon; Gideon T. Sawyer, sergeant buglar; Sergt. Harvey B. Leggee, orderly to the commanding officer.



# Ancients Parade



## PAGEANT

With their hats doffed in salute, Gov. Saltonstall and Mayor Tobin watch color bearers and guards pass in review during parade of members of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, on the Common, yesterday. Left, traditional drumhead election saw the "Ancients" casting their votes. Louis C. Adams of Newton was elected their new commander. Fete marked 303d anniversary of the military organization.

## ANCIENTS TO CELEBRATE WITH POMP

### Drum-Head Election to Feature Today's Exercises

The 303d anniversary of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts will be celebrated today with the traditional exercises, which include the decoration

of the grave of the first captain, the parade from Faneuil Hall to the Old South Church, the drum-head election and installation of officers on the Common and the evening banquet at the Copley-Plaza Hotel.

#### TO PLACE WREATH

The pre-anniversary informal banquet given by retiring Captain Albert E. Roberts of Braintree was held last night at the Copley Plaza Hotel. Tomorrow at the evening banquet he will hand over the gavel, symbol of his office, to the new captain who will be first announced on the Common tomorrow afternoon and installed by Governor Saltonstall.

At 10:30 a. m. Captain Roberts with other members of the company will go to the grave of Captain Robert Keayne, first captain of the company, in King's Chapel Burying Ground, and there place a wreath.

The formal public ceremonies will begin at 12:40 p. m. when the members of the company will form at Faneuil Hall, march to Washington street to School street where they will be reviewed by Mayor Tobin who will then join them as they proceed to the State House where they will be reviewed by the Governor.

#### Montreal Mayor Guest

The company will then march to the Old South Church, Copley square, where they will hold services. The Rev. Raymond Lang, D. D., a major in the United States army, will preach the anniversary sermon. They will march back to the Common where the drum-head election will be held and the new officers, captain, first lieutenant and second lieutenant, will be named.

Among the guests who will witness the ceremony will be His Worship Adhemar Raynault, Mayor of Montreal, who will also be a guest at the annual banquet. Speakers will include Senator Lodge, Governor Saltonstall, Mayor Tobin, Mayor Raynault, Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook, Admiral William T. Tarrant, U. S. N., and General James A. Woodruff.





DRUM-HEAD ELECTION by Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company on Boston Common.

## Ancients Elect Adams Commander; Noted Guests at Annual Banquet

Its ranks depleted 20 percent by the departure of members into active duty, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company celebrated 303 years of organization yesterday with the annual parade, church

service, drum head election on the Common—and, through a long evening of responses to regular and special toasts, the annual banquet.

The new commanding officer, Capt. Louis C. Adams of West Newton,

pledged the company to all possible aid in the defense program. Elevated with him into the senior offices of the famed old artillery company were Lieut. Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, as 1st lieutenant, and

Sergt. Andrew S. Seiler of Newton as 2d lieutenant. Capt. Adams succeeds Capt. Albert E. Roberts.

### Montreal Mayor Guest

Mayor Adhermar Raynault of Montreal was the guest of the company at the banquet in the Copley-Plaza. He told of the loyalty of Canada to England and of the friendship felt by Canadians for the United States.

Other speakers included United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Gov. Saltonstall, Mayor Tobin, Col. Mollineaux for the Army and Admiral Tarrant for the Navy.

In his speech Gov. Saltonstall—who represents the sixth generation of Saltonstalls to hold membership in the Ancients—said that Massachusetts "will do her part, and more, in civilian defense and any other need that may arise."

The six regular toasts—to the President of the United States, to the Commonwealth, to the Army, to the Navy and to the Ancients—were given by the company adjutant, Capt. Fred E. Pereira, who was re-elected at the drum head.

An honorary membership in the company was given to Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook.

One of the features was the rendition for the first time of the new "Easy to Sing" version of the "Star Spangled Banner" arranged by Raffaele Martino, Boston author and conductor. The diners, through Prof. Martino's special arrangement, were able to retain the melody yet avoid the high notes in the refrain "and the rockets' red glare."

### Parade Before Election

Before Lieut. Adams was named the new commander of the Ancients, the company headed a street parade from Faneuil Hall, pausing at the State House to be joined by Gov. Saltonstall, who is a member. Then the parade marched to the New Old South Church for the annual religious services.

Deployed on the slope of the Common toward Charles st., the members cast their votes at the drum head election, after passing in review before Gov. Saltonstall and Mayor Tobin.

The units in the line of march were: Warren Engineer Band, Walter Smith's Band, First Light Infantry Veterans, Providence, R. I.; Kentish Guards, East Greenwich, Conn.; Newport Artillery Company, Newport, R. I.; Governor's Foot Guards, Vammus Continentals, 2d Corps Cadets, Salem; Lexington Minute Men, Old Guard Military Alliance, Worcester City Guards, United Train of Artillery, Worcester Continentals, 1st Company, Hartford, Conn.; Fusileer Veterans Association, National Lancers, Old Guard State Fensibles, Salem Light Infantry, Putnam Phalanx.

### Son in Service

The new company commander, Capt. Adams, was born in Portland, Me., son of Lewis C. and Cornelia A. Adams. He enlisted at the age of 18 in the Spanish-American War with the 1st Maine Volunteer Regiment. Upon his discharge he immediately reenlisted with the 46th United States Volunteer Infantry for service in the Philippine Islands. His company saw active service on the islands. His father was a Civil War veteran and his son is now in the service. His business experience began in 1907 when he became New England manager for the American Druggists' Syndicate and subsequently he became affiliated with Gilman Brothers.

### Announce Appointments

First Lieut. Hudson is an attorney with offices at 11 Beacon st., Boston. He has been active in fraternal circles around Greater Boston. He is a former president of the Somerville Bar Association, Second Lieut. Seiler was graduated from Boston English High School in 1905. He served in the Chemical Warfare service for 20 months in France and Germany.

### The following staff appointments were announced:

Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, chief of staff; Capt. Frederic E. Pereira, adjutant; Lieut. Thomas F. McGinnis, personnel adjutant; Lieut. Andrew A. Gorey, judge advocate; medical staff, Lieut. Ervin A. Eastman, Lieut. Commander John R. Marshall, Lieut. Philip E. A. Sheridan, Capt. Edward P. Brock, infantry wing adjutant; Col. Arthur N. Payne, artillery wing adjutant; Lieut. James E. Hughes, ordnance officer; Sergt. Joseph V. Hughes, assistance ordnance officer; Lieut. Joseph E. Grinfield-Coxwell, liaison officer.

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# ANCIENTS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

## Lt. Adams Made Commander At Ceremony on Common

Lt. Louis Charles Adams of West Newton, veteran of the Spanish-American war, was elected commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company today at a drum head election marking the company's 303d anniversary.

### OTHER OFFICERS CHOSEN

Other officers chosen, in traditional ceremonies on Boston Common, were Lt. Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville as first lieutenant and Sgt. Andrew S. Seiler of Newton as second lieutenant.

The colorful election was held at the peak of a day of ceremony and rite, witnessed by members of visiting companies who can trace the records of their organizations back to the days of colonial settlement and early American militarism. A street parade, Governor's review and church service immediately preceded the drum head ritual.

### 200,000 SPECTATORS

Close to 200,000 spectators lined the midtown streets to watch the costumed Ancients and their guests tramp the course of their traditional parade at noon time. Many of the spectators later converged on the Common for the election ceremonies.

The shrill piping of a fife-and-drum reveille launched the day's ceremonies under gray skies in front of the Copley Plaza Hotel, but reflected nothing of the threatening weather.

Instead, lively tunes from the Fusiliers' Fife and Drum Corps whistled a medley of tunes for of-

ficers who stood at attention for the reveille—symbolic of the days when other Ancients had been awakened by the piping of fifes beneath their bedroom windows.

Following breakfast at the hotel, the officers marched to King's Chapel burying ground, to the tomb of Capt. Robert Keayne, founder of the organization and its first commanding officer.

### WREATH ON TOMB

The officers strode in a column of twos, along the narrow walk to the tomb. They held a rigid salute as Capt. Albert E. Roberts of Braintree, retiring commanding officer, placed a red-ribboned wreath before the tomb stone that was once a doorstep at Capt. Keayne's home on Rumney Marsh.

Formal public ceremonies began shortly after noon, when the company assembled at the artillery armory at Faneuil Hall.

Marching more than 100 strong, the Ancients paraded with members of other military units from New England and nearby states. Their

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## Ancients Pick New Officers

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route took them under clearing skies in a colorful procession through State and Tremont streets to School street, where they were received by Mayor Tobin at City Hall.

At the State House, the company took into line Gov. Leverett Saltonstall, himself a member of the Ancients and a descendant of one of the original founders.

As the line moved forward from the State House, it assumed its full order of parade.

### ORDER OF MARCH

Heading the march was Capt. Roberts with his adjutant, Capt. Fred E. Pereira, followed by staff officers. Martial music was by Frank Warren's band.

Next in line came Mayor Tobin, Maj. Charles A. Malley and staff, an infantry wing commanded by First Lt. Frank G. Volpe, with Adj. Capt. Edward C. Brooks, colors and color guard.

Gov. Saltonstall marched behind the colors, with Col. Charles T. Cahill as escort. A left artillery wing was commanded by 2d Lt. Louis Aronson, with Capt. Emmett P. Gavin. A second musical unit was the Walter Smith band, leading the visiting delegations.

Delegations in line and their commanders were:

Newport artillery, Lt.-Col. Thomas J. Smith; Worcester City Guard Veterans' Association, Charles R. Fisher; Old Guard of the City of New York, Maj. Charles W. Lange; First Light Infantry Veterans of Providence, Benjamin Levin; United Train of Artillery, Providence, Col. Henry D. C. Dubois; National Lancers, Boston, Col. Paul Welsch; First Light Infantry, Providence, Col. William M. P. Bowen; Second Company Governor's Foot Guard, New Haven, Maj. James A. Weibele.

Lexington Minute Men, Capt. C. A. Palmer; Salem Light Infantry Veterans Maj. Walter D. Cooke; Old Guard State Fencibles, Philadelphia, Maj. Edward A. Johnson;

Second Corps Cadets Veterans' Association, Salem, Col. George W. Dawson; Worcester Continentals, Capt. F. E. Dodge; Varnum Continentals, East Greenwich, R. I., Lt. Col. Howard V. Allen; Kentish Guards, East Greenwich, Col. Thomas E. Greene; First Company Governor's Foot Guard, Hartford, Maj. Ernest L. Averill; Fusiliers of Boston, Col. W. H. Myrick.

At the rear of the line came a battery from Camp Edwards, a delegation from the Emergency Company of Rhode Island, commanded by Maj. H. Macomber, and a delegation from the Thomas Burnett Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, commanded by Daniel D. Dame.

The line moved down Beacon street to Tremont, to Boylston street, and then to the New Old South Church at Copley Square for traditional ceremonies. Maj. Raymond Lang of Newton, headquarters chaplain at Camp Edwards, conducted the service.

In the fife and drum reveille group were Sergt. Edward Stevens, who has piped reveille for the Ancients for 50 years; Edward Geissler of South Boston, drum; James Kelley of South Boston, bass drum; Fred Murphy of Dorchester, snare drum, and Charles Rogers of Waltham, fife.

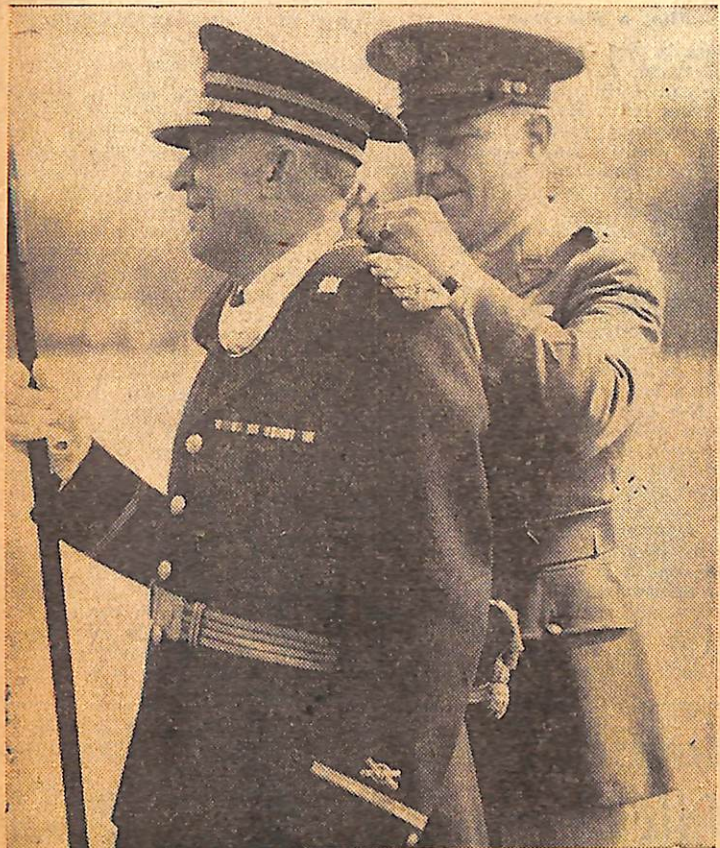
### DRUM HEAD SELECTION

At the drum head election, those chosen besides the three leading officers were:

Edward A. Spry, Boston, 1st sergeant of infantry; Harvey R. Moulton, Waban, 2nd sergeant of infantry; Joseph V. Hughes, Newton, 3d sergeant of infantry; Frank S. Waterman, Boston, 4th sergeant of infantry; Irving R. Shaw, Springfield, 5th sergeant of infantry; Roy A. Perry, Boston, 6th sergeant of infantry; Earle P. McGilivray, Weston, 1st sergeant of artillery; Alvin P. Westman, Boston, 2d Sergeant of artillery; George H. Strauch, Waltham, 3d sergeant of artillery; A. Eugene Perrault, Boston, 4th sergeant of artillery; Wallace E. Crowley, Boston, 5th sergeant of artillery; Stephen N. Hannon, Boston, 6th sergeant of artillery.

Staff officers elected were:

Lt. George E. Hall, Boston, paymaster; Lt. George W. Thornburg, Newton, commissary; William H. Wilson, Somerville, quartermaster; Lt. Rudolph Wismer, Roslindale, assistant paymaster; Sergt. Major William E. Crosby, Newton, clerk.



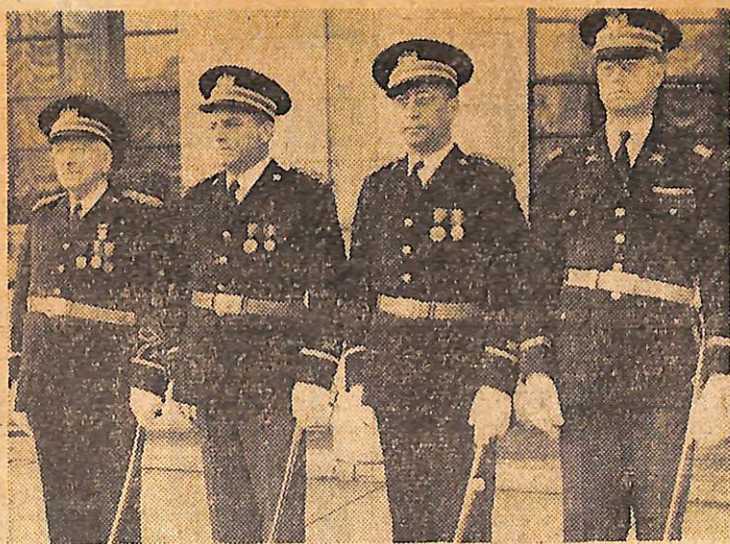
NEW COMMANDER of Ancients, Capt. Louis C. Adams, receives insignia from Adj. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson of Governor's staff.

## NEW OFFICERS OF THE ANCIENTS



Left to right, at the anniversary exercises of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company: Captain Louis C. Adams of Newton, First Lieutenant Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville and Second Lieutenant Andrew S. Seiler of Newton.





**NEW OFFICERS OF ANCIENTS**—Left to right: Capt. Albert E. Roberts, new commander; Lt. Frank G. Volpe, first lieutenant; Lt. Louis Aronson, second lieutenant, and Capt. Fred E. Pereira, adjutant.



**AT REVEILLE**—Members of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company as they appeared today at opening of anniversary exercises. Left to right: Lt. Louis C. Adams, Capt. Albert E. Roberts, Lt. Eugene A. Hudson, Lt. Frank G. Volpe, Lt. Louis Aronson, Maj. Charles A. Malley and Capt. Fred E. Pereira.

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**ANCIENT AND HONORABLE OFFICERS**—Left to right: Capt. Fred E. Pereira, adjutant; 1st Lt. Frank G. Volpe, Capt. Albert E. Roberts, commander; 2d Lt. Louis Aronson and Maj. Charles Malley, chief of staff.



# Honor Dead



## WREATH ON WAR MEMORIAL

Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co., lays wreath at World War Memorial at Atlantic City, N. J., fall field day of Boston's and country's oldest military organization. Capt. Fred E. Pereira and Col. Willis W. Stover look on.

### Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.

Members are notified of the death of Colonel Willis W. Stover, June 12, at 9:45 a. m. Military services will be held at Grace Episcopal Church, Norwood st., Everett, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Members are requested to attend. Past Commanders, Officers, Staff Members and Sergeants are requested to attend in uniform without side arms. LOUIS ADAMS, Captain; WILLIAM E. CROSBY, Clerk.



**FATHER GREETS ARMY FLYER**—First Lieut. Louis C. Adams Jr. of West Newton is greeted by his father on arrival at East Boston Airport yesterday in bomber on cross-country training flight. Members of Lieut. Adams' crew stand by. Left to right, Lieut. Columbus Savage, Lieut. Melvin R. Swensen, Mr. Adams, Lieut. Adams and Lieut. H. R. Roth.

## Lieut. Adams Brings Bomber Crew to Boston

Training Flight Gives West Newton Airman Chance to Visit Home

In the charge of 1st Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Army Air Corps, a light bomber arrived at the East Boston Airport yesterday afternoon after making a cross-country training hop. For Lieut. Adams this was an excellent chance for a trip home

and a reunion with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Adams of 227 Waltham st., West Newton.

Lieut. Adams, a graduate of Randolph and Kelly Fields in 1938, has been on active duty as pilot and instructor for the past 2½ years. He is attached to the 16th Light Bombardment Squadron, Savannah, Ga. He was graduated from Brown University in 1937. This was his first flight to Boston.

His father, Louis C. Adams Sr., is well known in the wholesale drug trade in Boston. He is a 1st lieutenant in the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and a veteran of the Philippine and Boxer uprisings.

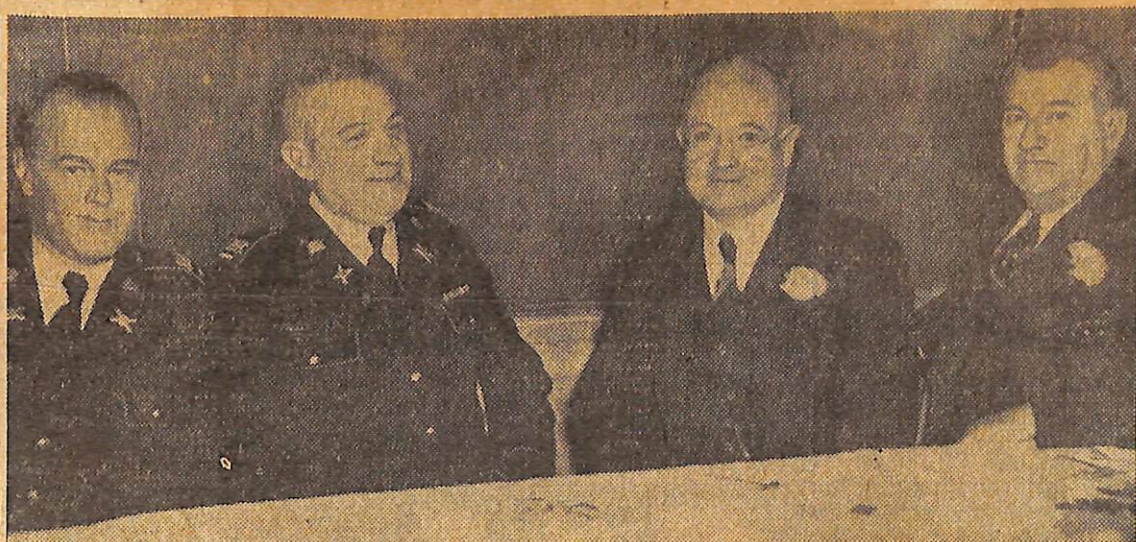
In the plane with Lieut. Adams were Lieut. Columbus Savage of Portland, Or.; Lieut. Melvin R. Swenson of Minneapolis, Minn., and Lieut. H. R. Roth of Riverside, Calif.



Representing the commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Capt. Clarence J. McKenzie (left) welcomes Mayor Raymond A. Chabot of Montreal at East Boston airport as he arrives to attend ceremonies marking the 303d anniversary of the military organization.

## BRILLIANT PARADE, REVIEW MARK ANCIENTS' BIRTHDAY





**AT 301ST ANNIVERSARY** dinner of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts last night at Faneuil Hall. Left to right—Lt. Eugene A. Hudson; Lt. Louis C. Adams, who presided; Capt. Clarence McKenzie; and Capt. William Ellis.

## Ancients' Officers Celebrate 301st

The lieutenants of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts held their 301st anniversary dinner amid scenes of traditional gaiety last night at Faneuil Hall.

The hall was gaily decorated with bunting and a cage containing two turkeys, one for each Thanksgiving, a suckling pig and a goose, graced the stage. The wild life was raffled off during the dinner.

## Ancients Hail Saltonstall As Candidate for Presidency

Implying they considered him a potential candidate for the Republican nomination for President, more than 225 members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company presented Gov. Saltonstall with a bronze elephant yesterday at their annual Washington's Birthday dinner at Faneuil Hall.

The presentation by Lt. Louis C. Adams, acting captain of the company in the absence of Capt. Wallace Riddell, who is recuperating from an illness in Florida, drew loud cheers. A hush momentarily fell over the gathering when the elephant suddenly toppled over, but the Governor laughed and refused to take the accident as a bad omen.

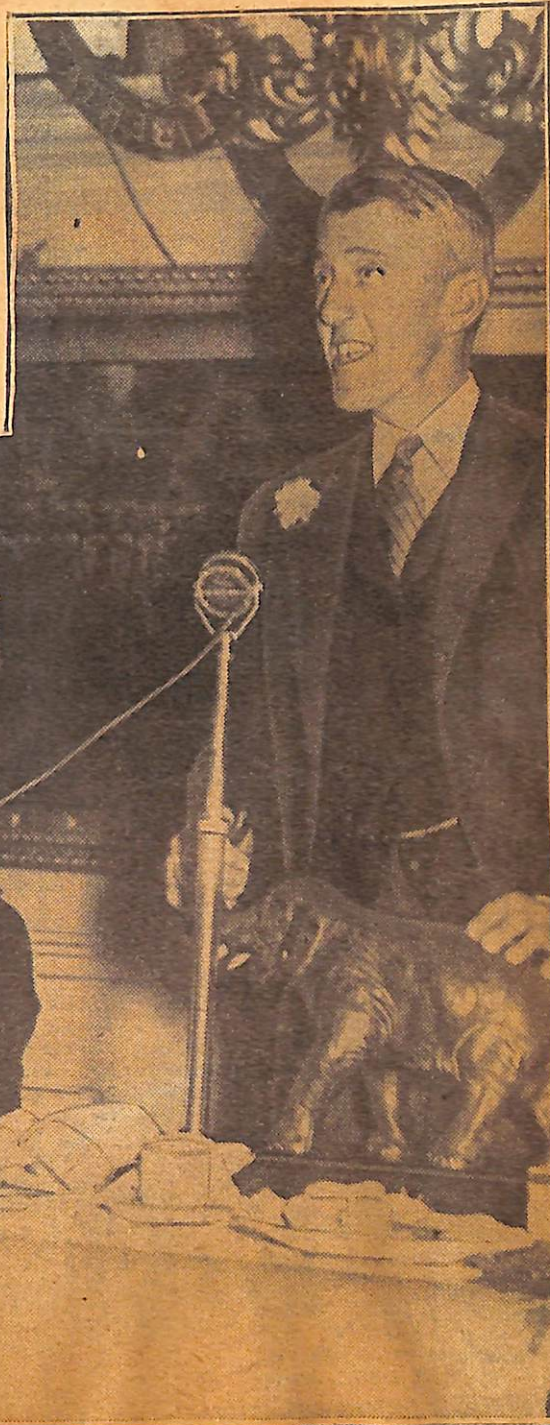
The Governor, guest of honor at the occasion, which also is referred to as the Governor's dinner of the company, received a laugh when he solemnly expressed the hope that

Mayor Tobin, sitting a few places away, was not jealous because he too had not received a bronze elephant. Sitting at the head table with the Governor was his son, Peter.

James J. Galvin, president of the city council, was applauded when Lt. Adams introduced him and announced that Mrs. Galvin had given birth to their sixth daughter yesterday.

Others who were at the head table included Daniel Lynch, secretary to the Governor; Adjt.-Gen. Erickson, Capt. Fred E. Pereira, adjutant of the company; Col. Willis Stover, Capt. James D. Coady, Lt.-Col. James W. Myrick, former Lt.-Gov. Gaspar G. Bacon, Capt. William H. Ellis, Capt. Justin Duncan, Capt. George Irwin, Maj. Charles Malley, Col. Charles T. Cahill, a past commander of the company; the Rev. Raymond Lang, Capt. Clarence J. McKenzie and Col. Porter Chase.

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### Guest

Speaker before the Ancient and Honorables at Faneuil Hall was Gov. Saltonstall last night. Here he talks after elephant, below, had been presented him by order. At left is Lt. Louis Adams, acting captain.

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## MUST GUARD RIGHTS, SAYS GOVERNOR

### Contrasts Conditions in Germany With America

Governor Saltonstall reminded the members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston at its annual Washington's Birthday dinner yesterday that all Americans owe the extraordinary personal liberty and freedom which they now enjoy to George Washington, but the responsibility for preserving it for our children and grandchildren, he said, rests entirely with us.

#### DIFFERENT IN GERMANY

Just before sitting down to dinner with them, he said, he had the pleasure of meeting for a few moments Professor Bruening of Harvard, the former prime minister of Germany. He said he had been deeply impressed by the professor's character of Germany, and could not help feeling what a fine man like him must have suffered by not being permitted to set foot in his own country because he happened to differ in opinion with the present head of the German government.

In the face of another devastating war in Europe he declared this great country of ours has the finest opportunity ever given to a nation to preserve civilization for all mankind. The way was pointed out, he explained, in Washington's farewell address and the responsibility for carrying it out rested on all and especially on the members of the Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company, the oldest military organization in the country.

Before the Governor made his address, First Lieutenant Louis C. Adams, in the absence of Wallace D. Riddell, the captain of the company, who is ill, presented him a bronze elephant with ivory tusks and trunk extended as an emblem of good luck and of the party he had served so well.

Mayor Tobin, the next speaker, reminded the company that the War of 1812 was fought by Americans to uphold the freedom of the seas, to prevent unlawful search and seizure of ships on the high seas.

Need Not Strike Blow

He felt that barring of American ships from the war zone had saved us from embarrassment in 1940, but said America need not strike a blow to secure the freedom to which she is entitled on the high seas if she will only exert the necessary economic pressure.

Before Lieutenant-Governor Cahill spoke, William J. Galvin, president of



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# ANCIENTS WILL NOT GO TO BERMUDA

## Shift Fete to Atlantic City Due to Lack of Transportation

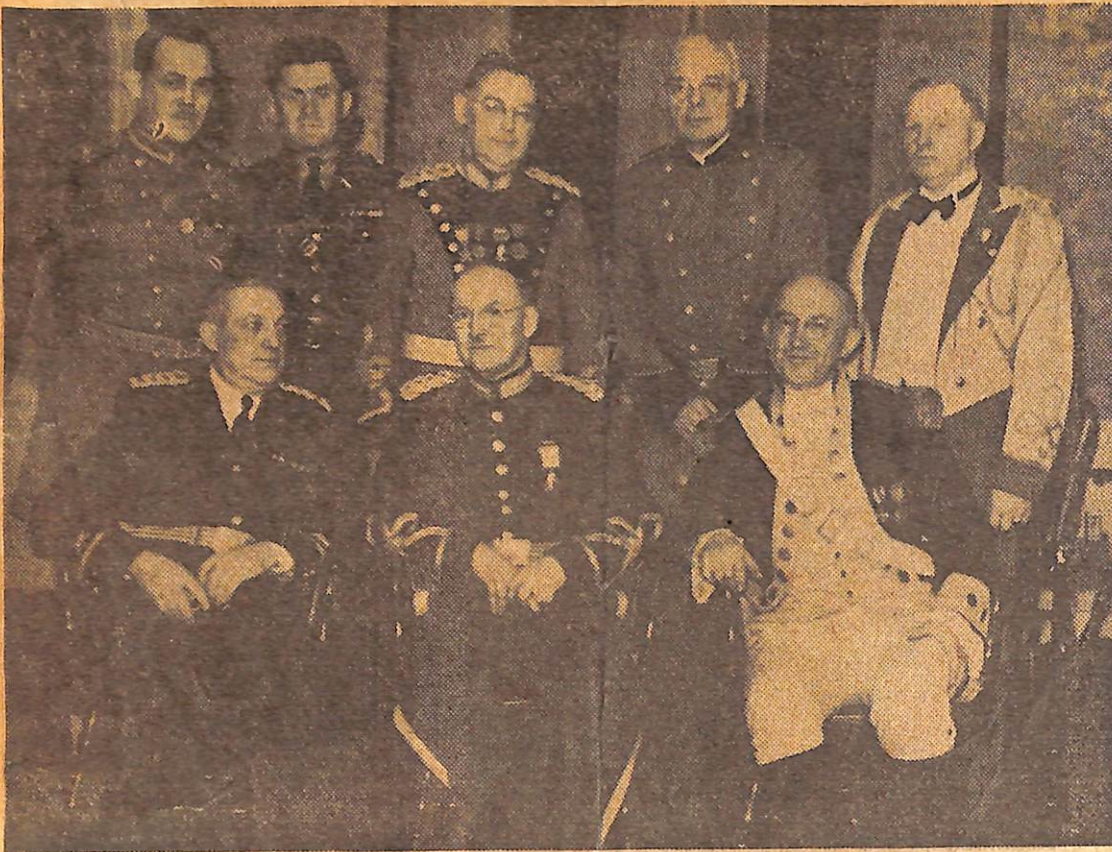
Unable to secure passage for its members, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company has cancelled plans to hold the annual autumn field day at Bermuda and will hold it instead at Atlantic City, it was announced last night.

Officers of the organization made the decision at a meeting held last night at the company's headquarters in Feneuil Hall. Initial plans were shaped to transfer the affair to Atlantic City.

The Rev. Gordon Chilson Reardon, executive director of the Boston chapter of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League, who criticised the organization for choosing a German-controlled ship for the anticipated Bermuda cruise, last night expressed himself as pleased that the company had finally selected an American resort.

"Napoleon was wrong," he said. "God is not always on the side with the heaviest artillery. I hope the boys have a joyous time at Atlantic City."

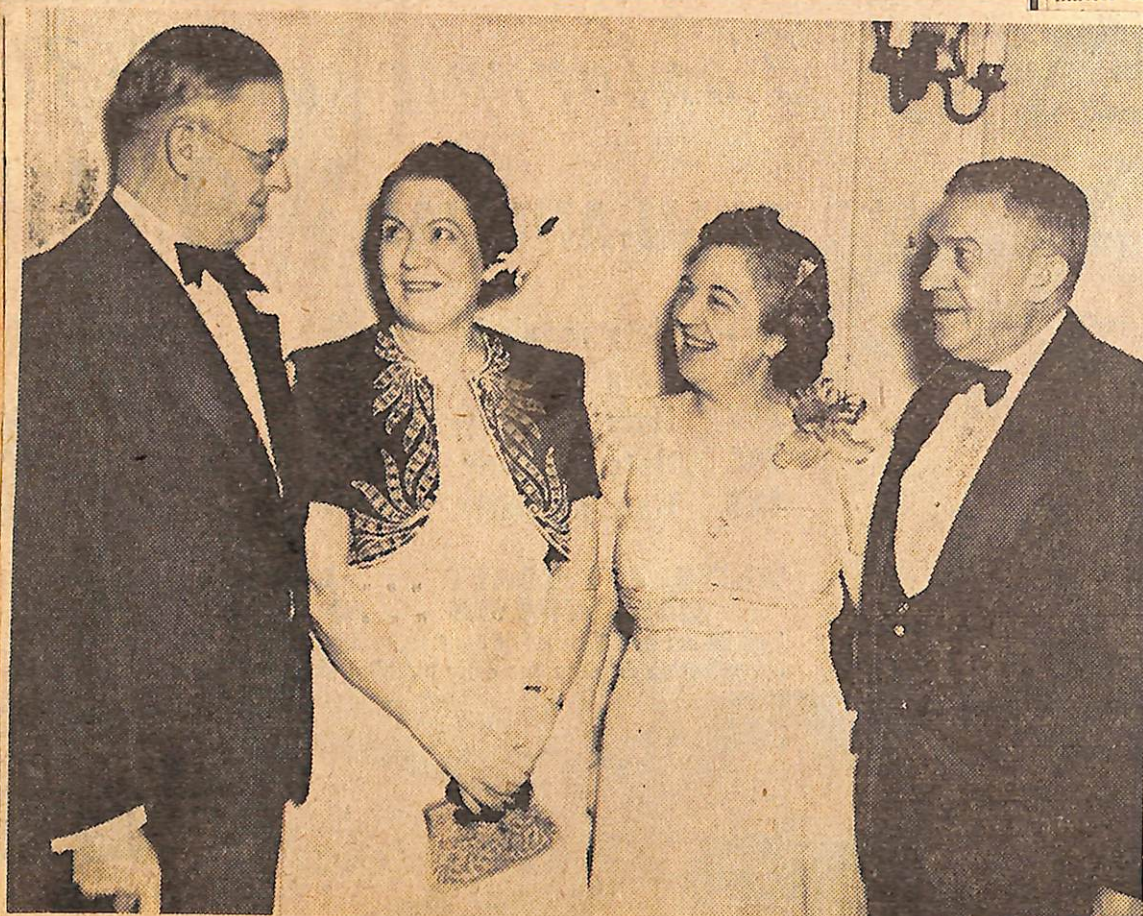
Lieutenant Louis C. Adams of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company declared the international situation had nothing to do with the change of plans. "It was purely and simply a matter of transportation," he said.



GUESTS AT LIGHT INFANTRY VETERANS' ANNIVERSARY

Seated, Left to Right—Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Ancient and Honorables; Major Walter D. Cooke, Salem Light Infantry, and Chairman of Affair; Capt. C. A. Palmer, Lexington Minute Men. Back Row, Capt. H. W. House, Fusiliers Veterans Association; Capt. Sylvester Morrison, 102d F. A.; Capt. F. Paul Welsch, National Lancers; Comdr. James A. Robinson, Second Corps Cadets; Capt. Oscar C. Bohlen, First Corps Cadets.

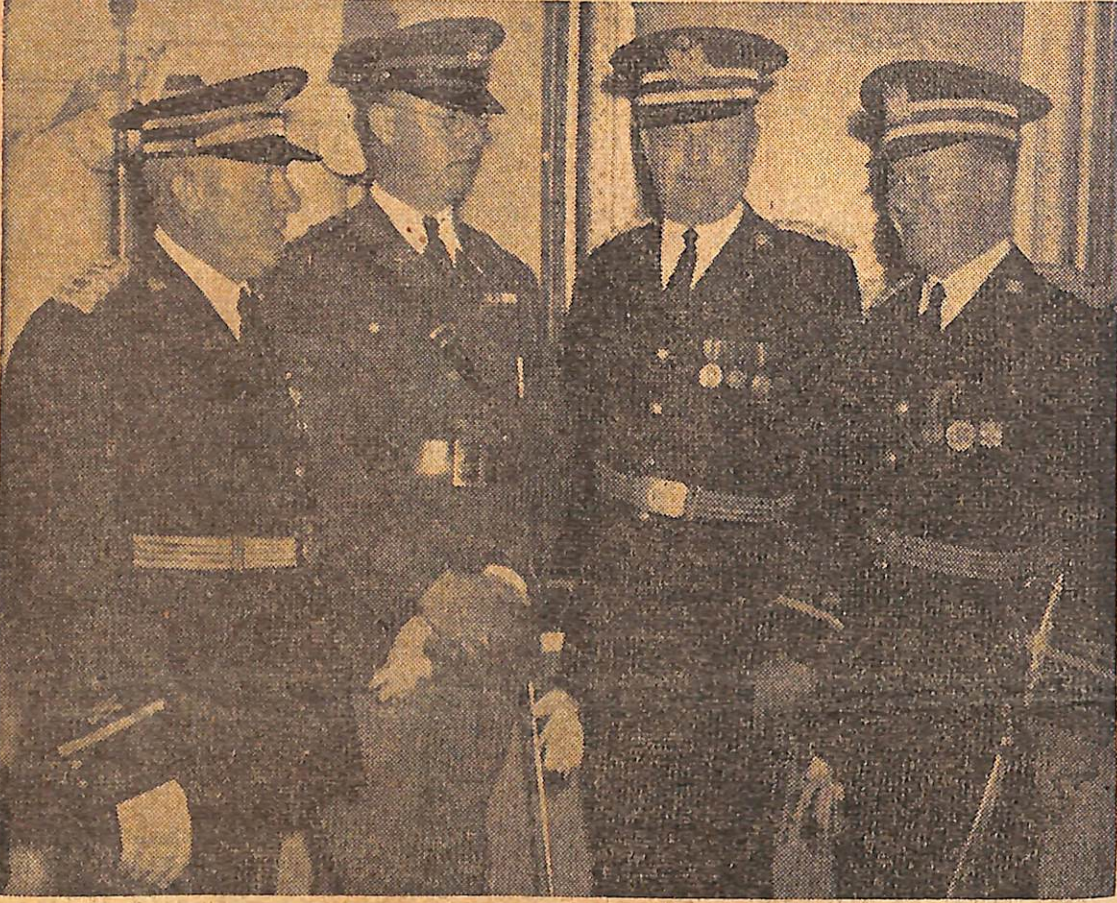
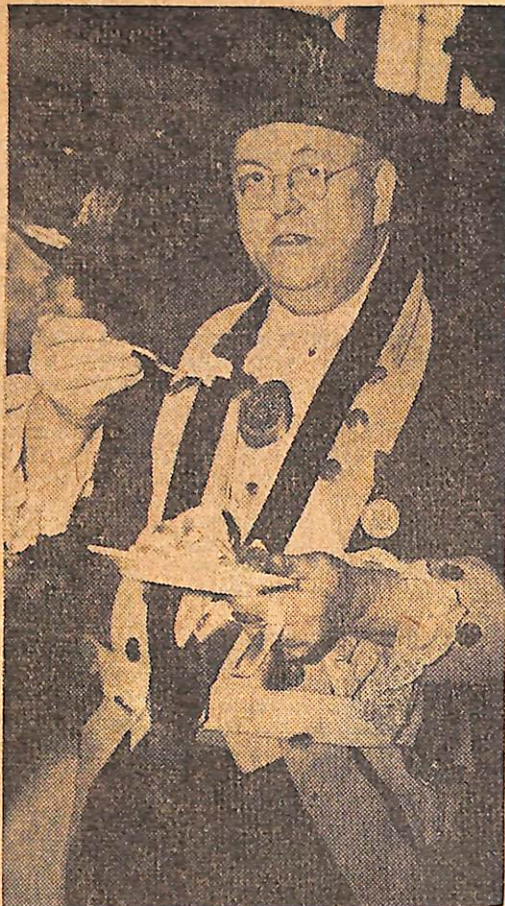
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**HONORED GUESTS** at the sergeants and lieutenants dinner of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company last night at the Copley-Plaza (left to right), Capt. Wallace L. Riddell, Mrs. Riddell, Mrs. Adams and Lt. Louis C. Adams.



# Ancient and Honorables March Again in All Old-Time Splendor



**Following Napoleon's Ancient and Honorable Precept**  
 Before they started their annual parade, the Ancients fortified themselves with luncheon at Faneuil Hall. Lt. Col. James M. H. Myrick, left, needed it for he had the most medals to carry. Lt. Col. Harry Fogerty, right, enjoyed it because his is the company's largest displacement. In the group below, left to right, are Lt. Louis C. Adams, Capt. Fred E. Pereira, Capt. Wallace D. Riddell and Lt. Eugene A. Hudson.

## Gold Braid Glints, Sabers Rattle as Line Clanks By

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts marched its imposing array of medals, gold braid and swords along a roundabout route from Faneuil Hall to the Common today for the annual parade and election of the most venerable military organization in the United States.

Profiting from the experience of 301 years, they fortified themselves with a substantial luncheon at the Cradle of Liberty before stepping out a little before one o'clock with Captain James J. Curry in the van. A long afternoon of tramping and historic ritual lay ahead, and beyond that a banquet tonight.

The curbs were lined some time before the glittering tide of troopers reached City Hall, by way of State, Washington and School streets, where Mayor Tobin joined the procession. Down Tremont and up Park they swung, their cymbals banging and their swords clanking, to the State House where Governor Saltonstall, an Honorable of 15 years' standing, fell into line.

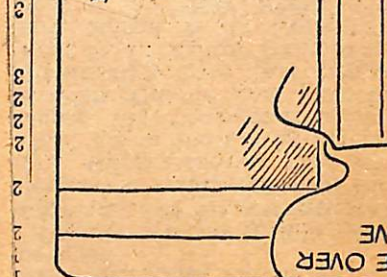
Away they pushed, out Beacon, Tremont and Boylston to Copley square, where they filed into New Old South for memorial services. Afterward they wound through Arlington, Beacon and Charles to the broad meadow of the Common for the annual drumhead election.

To those familiar with the scarlet and gold and green and blue of the Ancients, it would have seemed improbable that this year's procession could be any more eye-filling than those of other years, but the presence of officers from H. M. S. Southampton made the spectacle even brighter.

The new officers, elected for one year, are:

Wallace D. Riddell of Waban, captain; Louis C. Adams of West Newton, first lieutenant; Eugene A. Hudson of Somerville, second lieutenant; Gideon P. Sawyer, Wellesley, first sergeant of infantry; William E. Gillespie, Brighton, second sergeant; Francis P. Mutrie, Brighton, third sergeant; John A. Hope, Waban, fourth sergeant; C. Douglas Wheeler, Winchester, fifth sergeant; Michael J. Verrochi, Dorchester.

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## The Red (Blue, Green, Scarlet, Yellow) Coats Are Coming!



Mayor Tobin (lower left) waited in ambush as the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company advanced up School street in the flashiest parade the city can boast. He held his ground long

enough to review part of the spectacle, then capitulated and joined the march up to the State House, where Governor Saltonstall also fell into line.

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### Atlantic City Entertains the Ancients



Capt. Wallace D. Riddell of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston is receiving a key to Atlantic City from Maj. Wm. F. Casey, Director of Public Works of the famous resort, during the Company's outing at the shore. In the background are Lieut. Louis C. Adams and Capt. Fred E. Peireira.



# 300 Years' Service



## Tercentenary Next Month For Boston Ancients

Anniversary Celebration  
Will Be Most Colorful  
Affair—Guests Coming  
From London

By S. J. MANOOKIAN

Resplendent Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, Boston's historic military organization, is preparing for the most gala show in its history, highlight of which will be a parade expected to dazzle the thousands of spectators lining the streets along the route of march.

In multi-colored smart traditional uniforms the "Ancients," as they are popularly known, will be celebrating its 300th anniversary during the first week of June.

On the anniversary date, the Company will march to church where the sermon is to be preached, and the comrades who have passed away during the year are to be remembered. Members will then parade on to the Common where the picturesque ceremonial of the drumhead election of officers will be held, as it has been done for

One can glimpse the past as this Ancient Company with its variegated uniforms and its old formation leaves its armory and marches to the State House. Here it will receive the Governor and escort him to the church and the Common where later he will receive the resignations of the officers and commission the new, fastening around the neck of the commander-elect the old gorget, the ancient badge of a commissioned officer, and placing in his hand the halberd, the badge of authority.

In the armory in old Faneuil Hall, a museum is maintained, which consists of relics of all the wars in which the country has engaged. There can be seen on the walls the pictures of the past commanders. But one picture is missing, Robert Keayne's, whose features are unknown to "modern" Ancients. His name, however, will never be forgotten as long as the company lives.

Refinished in 1935, the armory was



brought up to date so that today's visitors can have a better view of the surroundings. The interesting paintings, which had been in semi-darkness for a long time, due to the poor lighting of the room, are now illumined individually, displaying their full value as works of art. Circling the armory the visitor observes that the early commanders of the company all wore wigs. Then come those whom fashion decreed

then mustaches, until those of the present era adopted the wearing of hats.

### FOUNDER'S WILL

The leading spirit in the organization whose picture is absent, Robert Keayne, was a prominent citizen, whose home was on the corner of State and Washington streets. Keayne had been a member of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, founded in 1537, and it was his idea that a company should be formed which should be a "school for officers and a nursery for soldiers."

Upon his death, he left in his will various sums of money for public benefit and to the Town of Boston the land at the head of State street for a Town House, together with money to build it, providing, however, that "the Military Company of Massachusetts should have a room in the Town House for an Armory and for Soldiers to meet when they had occasion." This is the land on which the old

State House now stands, the gift of which was accepted by the Town of Boston.

For nearly one hundred years the Company occupied the Town House, but the building, having become overcrowded because of its use by the Town Officers and General Court, it moved on April 7, 1746, to Faneuil Hall, which had then been erected by Peter Faneuil. There it has remained down to the present time, except for brief periods during the rebuilding of Faneuil Hall after the fire in 1761 and at times when the building was remodeled; the oldest armory in continuous use by a military organization in the United States.

Following Keayne as commander came the leading citizens of the Colony and pictured on the walls of the armory are the faces of the men who made the history of Massachusetts—soldiers, judges, doctors, statesmen and clergymen. To the company from in and around Boston came men for military training, and it was the law of the colony that "From any other military organization parade for instruction on the day set apart for the training of the Artillery Company."

### ORIGIN OF NAME

Many persons who will witness the parade this June will wonder why the company bears such an imposing and elaborate name. Oddly enough, the Ancients were forced into it, as it were. From its organization until the revolution, the company was called, simply, the Artillery Company, although beginning in 1700 it was referred to on the title pages of anniversary sermons as the Honourable Artillery Company, Honourable and Ancient, and Ancient and Honourable.

It was not until the company had been called by that name for 80 years by the public that it became so called in the records. In 1782, at the first meeting called for the purpose of reorganization, the record of the meeting is headed: "At a meeting of the

members of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company at Deacon Jones' May 30, 1782," and the words are used again in the records.

The activities of the company during the colonial days were many—parades for instruction were regularly held, maneuvers and military problems worked out, showing that schools of instruction were actually held and the members benefited by them.

In 1645, the company joined forces with Myles Standish and his Pilgrim soldiers in an expedition against the Indians, and the company was frequently on duty under arms in the service of the colony. During King Philip's War, the leading officers of the Colonial troops received their training in the artillery company, and its members fought with honor in England under Cromwell, at Quebec and Louisburg, in the French and Indian war. In fact, every war that the Colonists engaged in, found members of the company acting as leaders because of their military training.

### ACTIVE SERVICE

They were at the Boston Tea Party, were numbered among the Sons of Liberty, were active in obtaining supplies, and it was a member of this company who removed two guns, later known as the "Hancock" and "Adams," from the Gun House, under the noses of the British soldiers.

These guns were used by our troops all through the revolution, afterward being returned to the state and being loaned to the company, were used by them until 1821, when "Adams" burst during the training. These guns are now in the chamber at the top of Bunker Hill monument. Dawes, the patriot, clerk of the company in 1786, who galloped on his historic ride, was one of the outstanding members of the company who gave his energy to the cause, and he it was who was responsible for the removal of the guns.

In 1738 the first uniforms were obtained, the company being the

Top, left—Last summer a delegation of Boston Ancients were guests of the Honourable Artillery Company of London at its 400th anniversary; they are pictured with King George, who is captain-general of the British organization (copyright photo by Bassano, London). Top, right—Counting ballots at traditional drumhead election on Boston Common. Bottom, left—Ye Ancient of 1638. Circle, left—Lord Fortesque, commanding officer, Honourable Artillery Company of London. Circle, right—Lt.-Col. Charles T. Cahill, captain commanding Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston (Oppenheim photo).

first uniformed military organization in the country, and for many years it was the only one. Prior to that time, soldiers wore a breast-plate and steel hat, or a coat and breeches of leather, but there was no attempt at a uniform color or style.

Today, a private's uniform costs about \$300, although neither a first nor second lieutenant's outfit cost anything. Any male over 21, of good moral character and a citizen, is eligible to join the group, for which the initiation fee is \$25. One starts as a private, is made a sergeant in two or three years, then made a second lieutenant and then a first lieutenant. A commanding officer can never succeed himself in any capacity.

### ENGLISH GUESTS

One of the interesting events in connection with the exercises this year will be the presence here of nearly 100 members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, and their ladies. This will be the third time that the Britishers will have visited the Ancients.

Heading the delegation of the Honourable Artillery Company of London will be Lord Fortesque, its

active commanding officer. King George is captain-general of the company. Lord Fortesque, in addition to serving as commanding officer, is Lieutenant-Governor of the county of Devon, located in the south of England. He is extremely popular in military and horse circles throughout the United Kingdom, and has a brilliant war record.

Twice in recent years he has visited America to serve as a judge at the notable New York and Toronto Horse Shows. While the ancients were visiting England last year, Lord Fortesque, serving as chairman of the reception committee, extended himself considerably to entertain the American guests. It is the hope of the leaders of the Ancients that they will be able to return the hospitality during his visit here in June.

Now all that is necessary is for all Bostonians who "love a parade" to turn out in full force, and make a good showing at a good show, as the Ancients march by in their colorful costumes.



# He Slept in the Prince of Wales' Bed When British Visited Ancients Before

Lieut. George A. Shackford Recalls 1903 Celebration For English Company, When A Rug Covered the Street Between Symphony Hall and Horticultural Hall



When the London company visited Boston in 1903 this picture was made at South Market st. The London company is on the right, with Boston Ancients on left.

The visit of the Honourable Artillery Company of London to Boston this week to aid in the celebration planned by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts has recalled to Lieut George A. Shackford the attendance of the English visitors 35 years ago in 1903, when the Earl of Denbigh and Desmond, C. V. O., headed the group of 163 members when they made their first visit to the United States.

Lieut. Shackford, who wears bars signifying 37 years of service, 22 of which he has served as quartermaster, and who will be 84 years of age this week, will be the only commissioned officer assigned to the committee entertaining the English guests, who served in that same capacity in 1903.

At that time Mr. Shackford was detailed to accompany Lord Denbigh by Col. Sidney M. Hedges, commander of the Ancients, in a tour of the country, after the Boston celebration. He is fond of relating an incident in connection with that trip, which was planned to terminate in Canada, where the English would sail for home.

Going into Quebec in advance of the troops to see that adequate arrangements were com-

pleted, he found that everyone had been assigned quarters with the exception of himself at the Chateau Frontenac. A suite had been reserved for an impending visit of the Prince of Wales, and as he had not arrived, Shackford suggested that he could occupy the Prince's suite. After some preliminaries and misgivings upon the part of the management this was agreed to and he slept that night in the Prince of Wales' bed.

#### Friends Across the Sea

Mr. Shackford said at that time a close friendship existed between Col. Hedges of the Ancients and Lord Denbigh of the London company and was responsible for the bringing from England of the two ancient cannon, the "Mimion and the Sakarett," which were mounted by the Pilgrims to defend the ford over the brook and the Mayflower which lay at anchor in the harbor. These two guns are the only two of the type used by the Pilgrims known to be in existence and were taken from the British Artillery Museum at Woolwich, Eng., and presented to the town of Plymouth by the British Government on the occasion of the Tercentenary of the landing of the Pilgrims in 1921.

Tomorrow Lieut. Shackford, for the 24th consecutive year, will preside at the Drum Head election on Boston Common.

During the 1903 visit of the Eng-

lish he said there was a rug placed across the street from Symphony Hall to Horticultural Hall with a canopy entirely blocking Massachusetts av. The Revere House, then considered the finest hotel in the city, put forth its best in the way of accommodations for the distinguished guests.

While the occasion of the visit at this time is the 300th anniversary of the Massachusetts organization the 1903 visit was a friendly return trip that the Boston group had made to England in 1895 on the occasion of the 350th anniversary of the London company.

The only member of the Ancients now alive that Mr. Shackford recalls as having been active in the 1903 celebration is Joseph Stoddard of Charlestown, 90-year-old commander of the Massachusetts Department of G. A. R. Both these men are among the few survivors of the original "Ten of Us Club," a group that was formed by 10 of the group that visited England in 1895. For years this group held an annual dinner to recall old memories and keep alive the associations formed at that time.

Today as quartermaster of the company, Lieut. Shackford looks after all the equipment and travel arrangements of the company and each day is at his desk in charge of the Ancients' Armory at Faneuil Hall, the oldest armory in continuous use in the country. While this would seem to be sufficient work for a man of 84, he also is active in

other ways. He is steward of Aleppo Temple and supervises the banquets of the Shrine every few months. He was potentate of the Shrine from 1912-14, and also holds a 50-year Odd Fellows' medal, past masters' jewels of the Blue Lodge and Chapter, and Eastern Star past patrons' jewel.

#### Has Historic Sword-Cane

A descendant of an old Colonial family he frequently shows his friends a prize relic, a sword-cane, owned by Capt. Bill Blackler, who was a boatman in the skiff that carried Washington across the Delaware river in 1775. The Ancients are Lieut. Shackford's pride and nearer his heart than any of his other many social and fraternal affiliations. He recalls the history of the organization since its founding and points with pride to the positions of the members of the company in the social, civil and military life of the state and the respect that people have always entertained for its members.

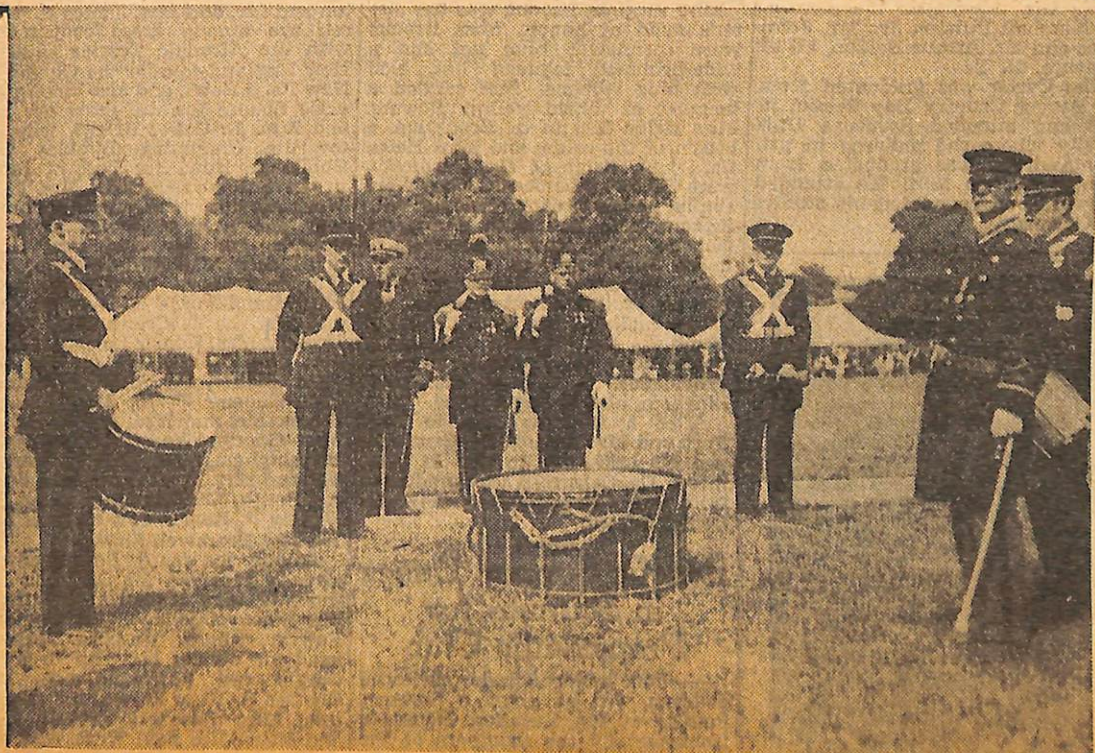
Lord Fortescue will head the visiting Englishmen this week. Lord Denbigh, who led the group 35 years ago, is still alive but in poor health and suffering from a wound received in the World War, where he served with distinction and in which conflict his only son was killed in action.

Lieut. Shackford again will be elected Lieut. Quartermaster of the Ancients this week, the company that Washington knew, that Franklin saw march through the streets of Boston, that John Adams and John Quincy Adams knew; the company that during the Revolutionary War served on every battlefield where the banner of Massachusetts waved, from Bunker Hill and Bennington, through Valley Forge to Yorktown, and even before that its members joined forces with Myles Standish in expeditions against the Indians, took part in King Philip's War, the French and Indian Wars and in fact every war that the Colonists engaged in.

The first military organization of the United States to carry the American flag into Buckingham Palace, today the company has a roster showing that more than one-half its members served with honor and distinction in the Spanish and World Wars.

Lieut. Shackford has been looking forward to the visit of the British and feels that it is a delightful exchange of courtesies between England and America. He will be on hand each day, and in addition to presiding at the Drum Head election will assist in the entertaining of the visitors. He has received an invitation from Gov. Hurley to attend the dinner being tendered the visitors by the state officials June 6th and will be the only officer present who attended the banquet of the 1903 visit.

Lieut. Shackford has lived in Sharon for many years with his daughter, Mrs. Rutha S. Cook of Oakland road.



Lieut. George A. Shackford (at right, with sword) presiding at drum head election on Common.



with compliments.

M<sup>r</sup>. D. P. O'Brien.

Dalmeny.  
Bickley.



Mrs Louis Adams,  
Room 303.

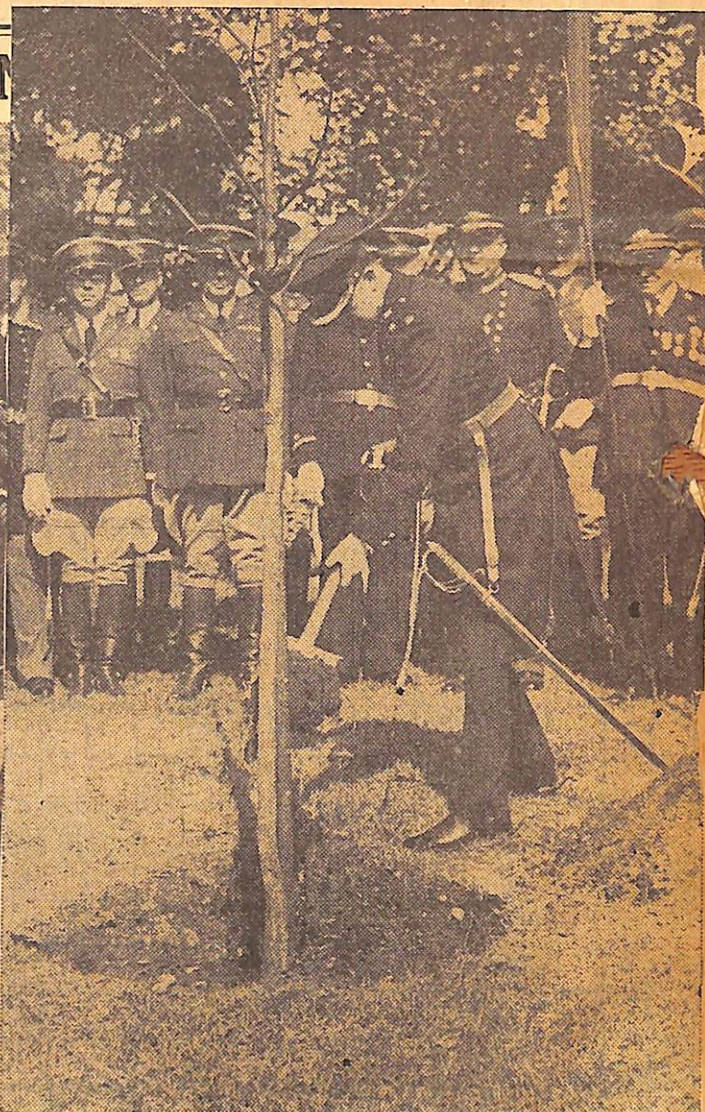
Piccadilly Hotel.



TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1938

ROYAL OAK FOR COMMON

## CASTING BALLOTS IN DRUMHEAD ELECTION



## ANCIENTS' NEW COMMANDING OFFICERS



1ST. LIEUT. F. A. ROGERS



CAPT. JAMES J. CURRY



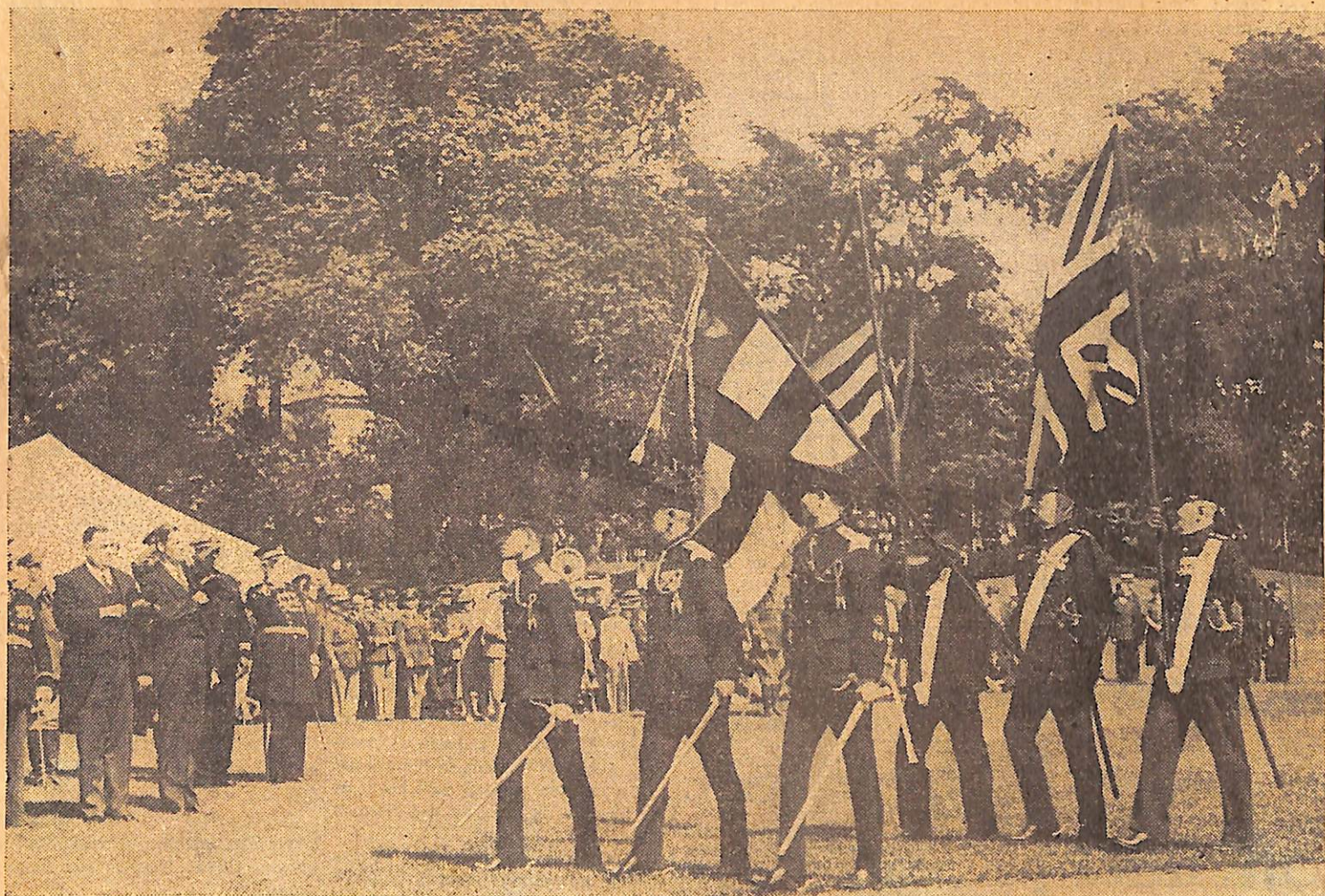
2D. LIEUT. F. A. VOLPE

### A GIFT FROM KING GEORGE

Takes its place on Boston's Common, planted yesterday as part of the Ancients' 300th anniversary celebration. The tree was brought by the London Honourable Artillery Company's contingent and is being planted by Maj. John A. Hill.



# BRITISH COLORS BACK ON HISTORIC COMMON



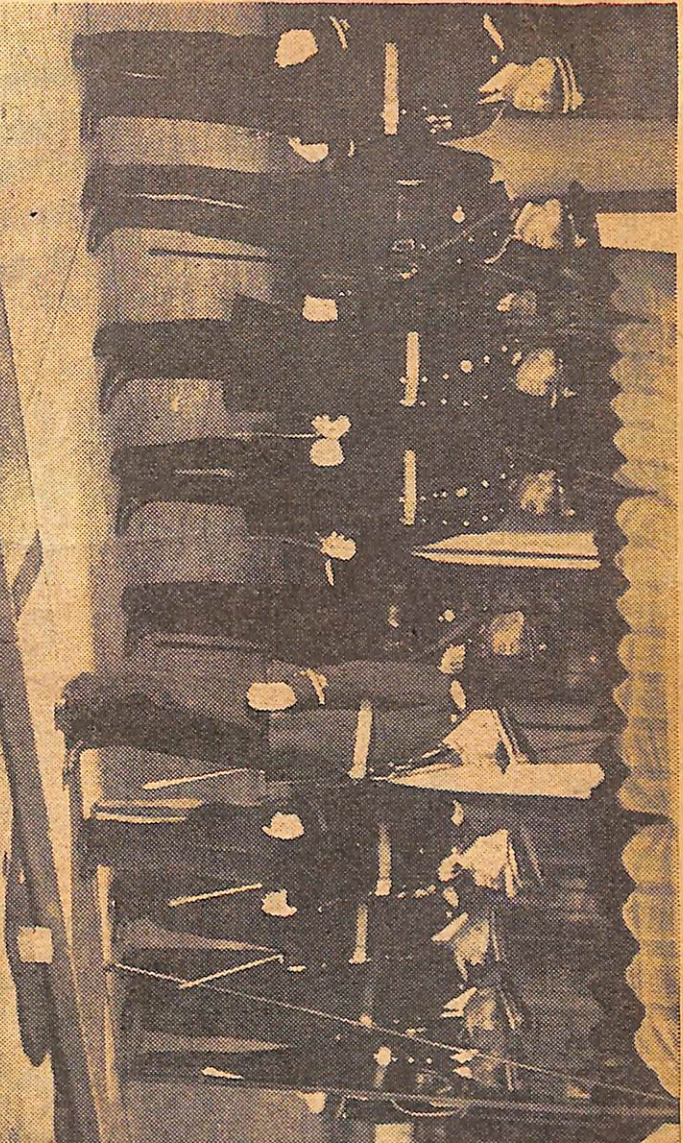
COLOR GUARD OF LONDON'S HONOURABLES PASSING IN REVIEW BEFORE GOV. HURLEY AND MAYOR TOBIN

## LONDON HONOURABLES ON BOYLSTON ST.





# REVELLE AT THE COPLEY PLAZA



Members of the staffs of Lt.-Col. Charles T. Cahill of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts and Maj. J. A. Hill of the Honourable Artillery Company of London are shown standing at attention in front of the Copley Plaza Hotel today for reveille as they opened muster day ceremonies of the Boston company. Rear (left to right): Capt. Lionel G. H. Palmer, A. H. A.; Lt. G. R. Armstrong, H. A. C.; Maj. Hill, Capt. R. Goodbody, H. A. C., and Maj. R. C. Cole, H. A. C. Front (left to right): Lt. A. E. Roberts, A. H. A.; Lt.-Col. Cahill, Lt. L. C. Adams, A. H. A.; Lt. James J. Curry, A. H. A., and Wallace Riddell, adjutant, A. H. A.

## MUSTER DAY FOR ANCIENTS

### Three Parades and Drumhead Election on Common High Spots

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the colonial days of the organization. Then, the fifers and drummers moved from house to house and awoke members of the company on muster day. Today, the sounding of reveille is confined to three places—the hotel, Boston Common, and the tomb of Robert Keayne, founder of the organization, in King's Chapel burial ground.

#### PARADE ROUTE

The Boston Fusiliers' Fife and Drum Corps, headed by T. J. Murphy of South Boston has played for the ceremony for more than 20 years.

Following the ceremony, members of the two staffs breakfasted at the hotel and then went to Keayne's tomb where Lt.-Col. Cahill, assisted by Maj. Hill, placed a wreath.

The parade from Faneuil Hall army, where the members of the two companies gather for a buffet luncheon, was scheduled for 12:05 P. M. with the line of march by way of South Market, Commercial, State, Washington, School, Tremont, and Park streets to the State House; thence through Beacon, Tremont and Boylston streets to the New Old South Church in Copley Square for services.

#### EXERCISES ON COMMON

The companies, after memorial services at the church, will march to the Common by way of Boylston, Arlington and Beacon streets and the ceremonies there, centering around the drumhead election of officers and the commissioning of the new officers by Gov. Hurley, will last until nearly 5 o'clock. After the ceremonies, the parade will proceed to the Copley Plaza Hotel for the tercentenary banquet.

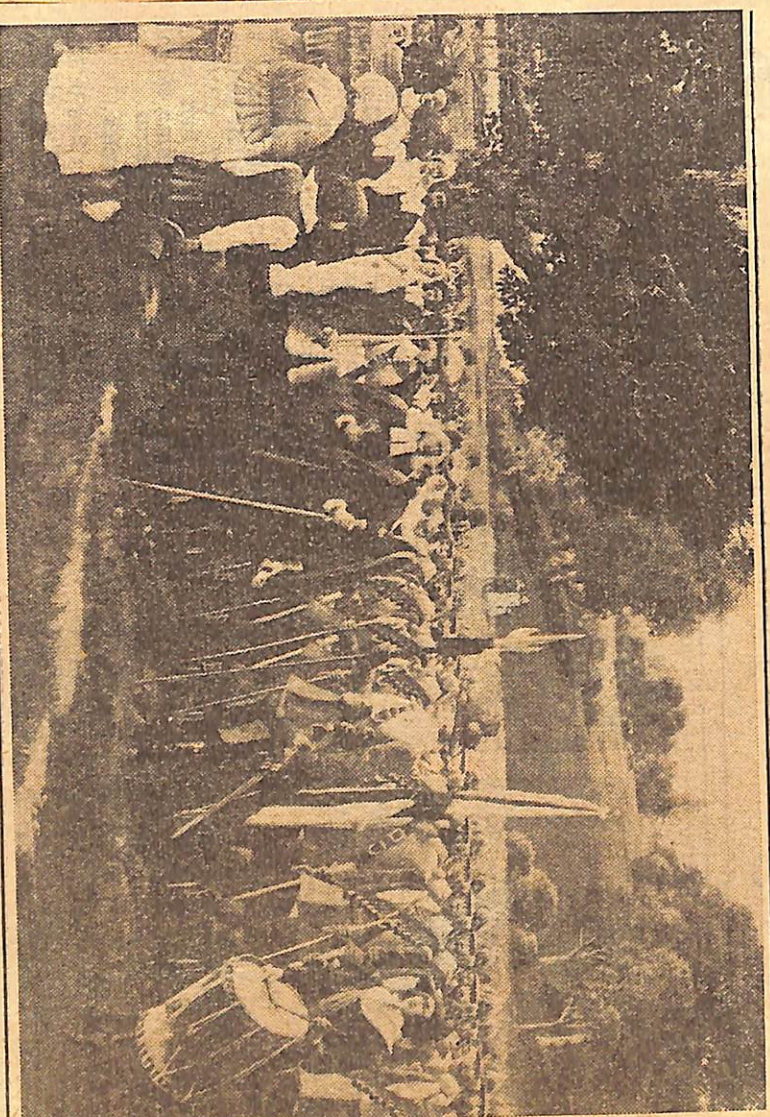
A feature of the events on the Common will be the planting of a tree from Windsor Park, gift to the Ancients from King George VI.

Assignments made by the Ancients' commander for today include the following:

#### TODAY'S OFFICIALS

Officers of the day, Capt. William H. Ellis; Officers of the guard, Capt. Justin A. Dunne and Capt. George C. Irwin. In charge of marching organizations: Chief, Col. Willis W. Storer; deputy chief, Maj. Charles A. Mahoney; adjutant, Col. Henry A. Hale; aide-de-camp, Maj. Wellington Wells; serjeant-major, Maj. James F. Winston. Escort to Gov. Hurley, Capt. Walter K. Queen; escort to Mayor Tobin, Maj. James W. H. Myrick. Common detail: Officer in charge, Lt. Samuel C. L. Haskell; assistants, Serjt. Frank J. Howard and Dr. Robert M. Miller; detail, Col. Benjamin Levin, Serjt. George A. Allen, Lt. Elmer S. Bailey, Maj. George T. Dutkewy, Serjt. Albert J. Hodgdon, Serjt. William G. Rodd, Serjt. Patrick J. Lydon, Serjt. Charles A. Frazer, Henry C. Church, Lt. William H. Cowell, Fred E. Bowers.

Church detail: Officer in charge, Capt. Frank L. Nagle; assistant, Capt. G. Harry Adair; detail, Serjt. Leon E. Daddum, Clinton A. Ferguson, Serjt. Bert O. Wetmore, Serjt. Charles W. Howard, Serjt. Henry A. Frost, Lt. Frank W. Whitener, William Spottiswoode, Julius Hollander, Lt. Joseph A. Mahoney, Serjt. Napoleon E. Tongas.



Ancients on the Common Three Hundred Years Ago

THE FIRST MUSTER  
It was three centuries ago, come Monday, that Massachusetts mustered for the first time on the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston Common. Next Monday they do it again.



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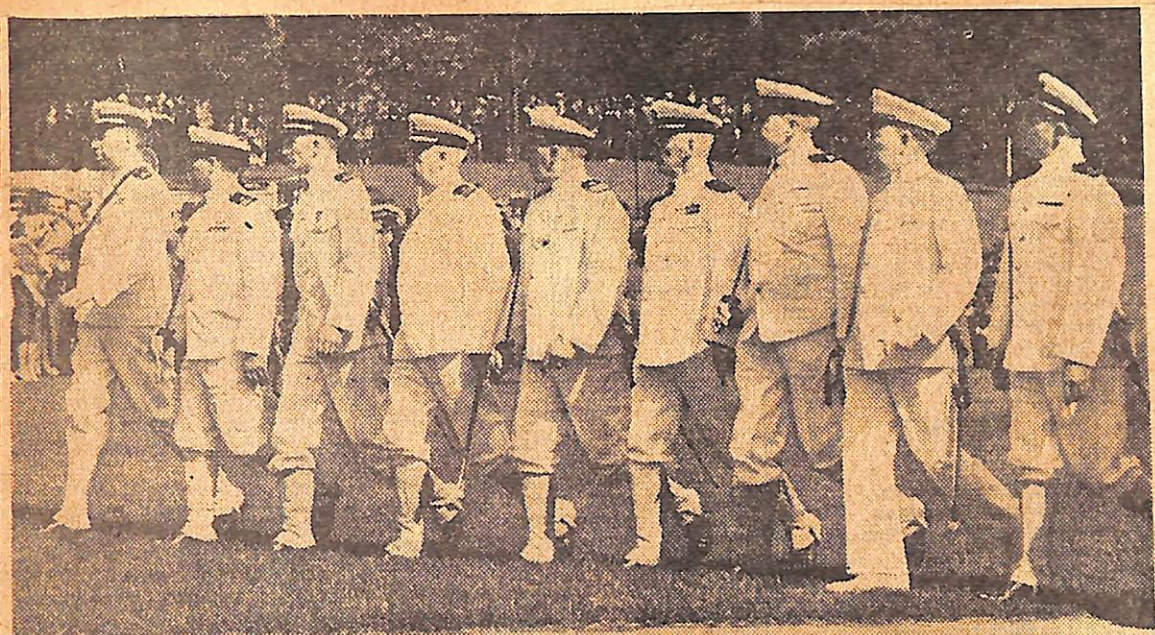
# SCENES AT ANNUAL REVIEW AND DRUMHEAD ELECTION OF ANCIENTS ON BOSTON COMMON



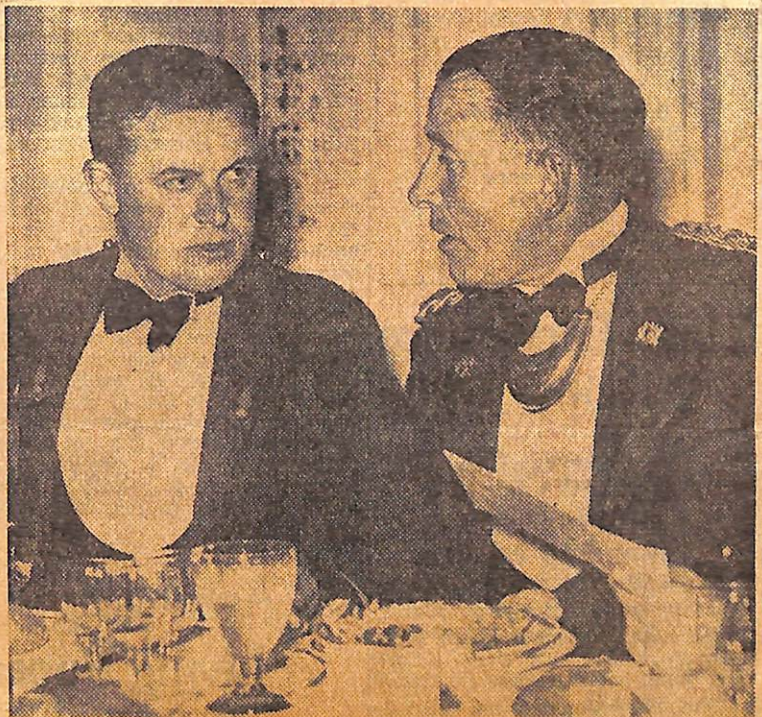
Highlight of the tercentenary exercises of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts was its famous drumhead election.



Members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London being reviewed by Gov. Hurley (left) and Mayor Tobin yesterday.



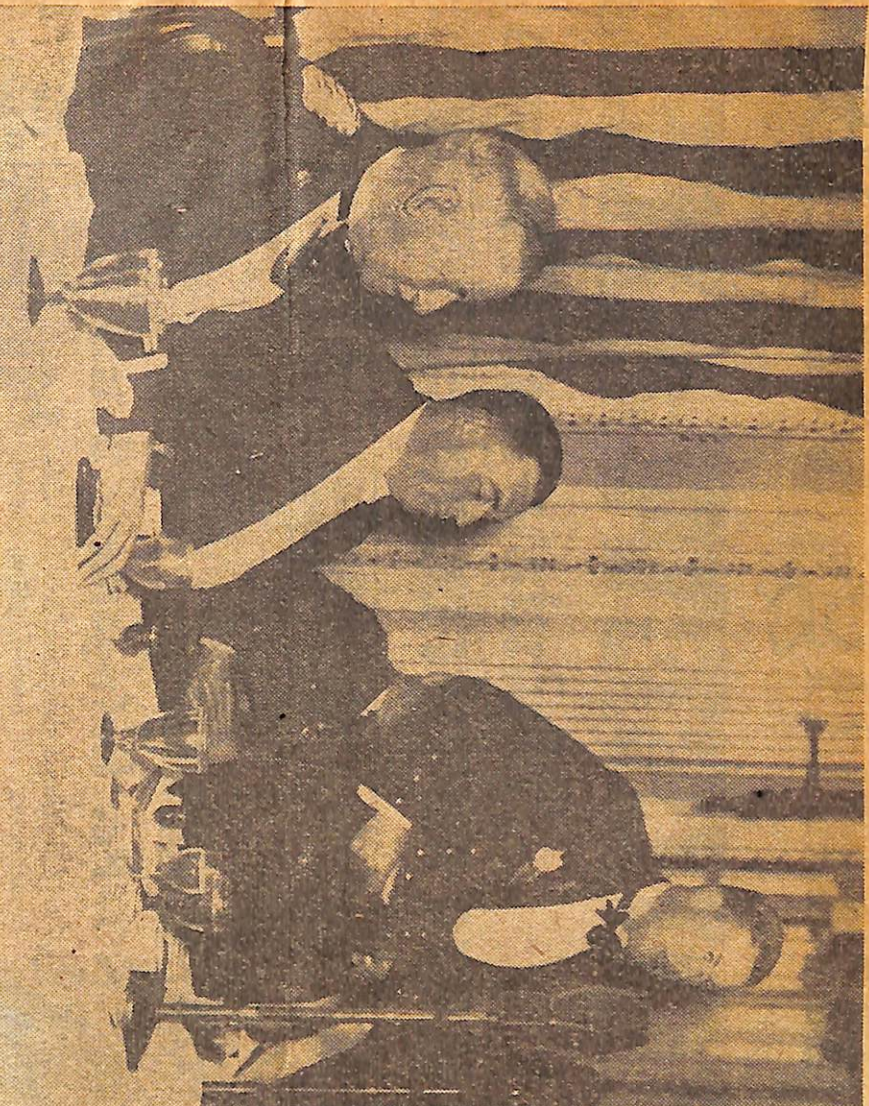
The white-uniformed naval section of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company as it passed in review on the Common yesterday.



Maj. J. A. C. Hill, commander of the Honourable Artillery Company of London (left) in conversation with Capt. James J. Curry, newly-elected commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, at the 300th anniversary banquet at the Copley-Plaza.



# SPEAKERS AT GOVERNOR'S BANQUET



Left to Right—Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston; Gov. Charles F. Hurley, Maj. J. A. Hill, commander of Honourable Artillery Company of London.

## London Honourables Guests Of Gov. Hurley at State Dinner

### Friendship Topic of Speakers—British Visit Plymouth, Find Rock Too Firm

The King's own Honourable Artillery Company of London, 90-strong, ended a day of visits to historic shrines at Plymouth, a social tea at Cohasset and sight-seeing around Boston, with an official state dinner tendered to them last night by Gov. Hurley at the Copley-Plaza Hotel.

Keynote of the good-natured and often humorous after-dinner speeches was the expressed desire for closer bonds of good will between England and the United States.

"The ladies of Massachusetts are completely incomparable," Maj. J. A. Hill, commanding officer of the Honourables, who are guests of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, declared gallantly.

And in answer to his glowing accolade to the Bay State's femininity, practically every British breast, stoutly gallant beneath a scarlet tunic, responded with a hearty "Heav! Heav!"

**Cheer Compliment to Ladies**  
Speakers at the affair included Gov. Hurley, Mayor Tobin of Boston, Maj. Hill, Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill of the Ancients, Brig. Gen. William H. Wilson of the 1st Corps Area, Rear Admiral Walter Cherard, commandant of the Charles-town Navy Yard; Maj. R. C. Cole, M. B. E., T. D., head of the veterans'

organization in London; Capt. F. T. Bright and Maj. J. Goolld Walker, D. S. O., M. C. The last three, officers of the Honourables, were in Boston for the second time, having attended a similar celebration in 1908.

Gov. Hurley acted as master of ceremonies. Expressing the company's gratitude for its reception in Boston, Maj. Hill declared: "Yesterday we had the signal honor of seeing the Union Jack flying from the State House as we were received by Your Excellency. I understand from your truly reliable press that it was probably the first time in human history that that has occurred, and I assure you we all appreciate it."

"I have kept our troops, I think, somewhat in hand throughout. The discipline was good until this afternoon. Then it was broken up by some of the lady friends of Lieut. James J. Curry, who so wonderfully entertained us in Cohasset. The ladies of Massachusetts are completely incomparable."

Maj. Hill's address was followed by an English cheer which went under the name of "Regimental Fire."

**"Let Us Stick Together"**  
Rear Admiral Gherardi declared: "The American and British Navies combined in the World War. A happy relationship grew up and has continued. It is one of the things which may help in the future to safeguard against developments of which we know nothing now." Maj. Walker, the last speaker, humorously remarked: "You think we speak in a rather affected drawl. We think you wear rather funny hats!"

Then he concluded: "Let us stick together, and be done with it!" Other guests at the head table included: Lieut. Gen. Edward L. Logan, Joseph McGrath, Collector of the Port of Boston; Lieut. Gov. Francis E. Kelly, Col. Harry A. Skinner, Maj. Ralph W. Robert, chairman of the Parole Board; Frank A. Brooks, Joseph Grossman and Eugene O. Burnett of the Executive Council; Lieut. Wallace D. Riddell, Capt. William H. Ellis, Lieut. Col. Daniel J. Lynch, who gave the invocation as chaplain; Adit. Gen. Charles H. Cole, Capt. R. H. A. Goodbody, R. A.; Lieut. Col. Robert M. Montague, Col. Stuart G. Hall, Maj. T. O. O'Brien of the Honourables, Judge John P. Higgins, Lieut. James J. Curry.

### Mock Effort at the Rock

A half-dozen stalwart Englishmen tried, in mock desperation, to throw Plymouth Rock back into the Atlantic Ocean yesterday afternoon, but the rock would not budge and the Englishmen, all members of the Honourable Artillery Company, gave up the project.

It was all part of the day's entertainment which began at 8:45 a. m. The 82 Britishers, members of the parent company of the American Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, had a good time, and it is possible that their effort to dislodge the rock and dispose of it might have been an answer to a speech that preceded the visit to the rock.

They had been guests of the Boston organization at King's Path Inn in Plymouth where luncheon was served and J. A. White, a member of the Plymouth Board of Selectmen, was the principal speaker. Mr. White was born in Plymouth, Eng., came to Plymouth, Mass., 25 years ago and became a member of the governing board of the town.

### Selectman White's Advice

Presented to the visiting Englishmen by Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill of the Boston organization, Selectman White expressed his great pleasure at the opportunity to ad-

dress members of the military organizations of the land of his birth and the land of his adoption, and to welcome them to the town upon whose Board of Governors he now served.

"It was my fortune," he said, "to be born in the country from which you came, but I can't resist the opportunity to say that there are many things that you are now doing over there that I do not agree with, and as a former Englishman, I welcome you here in the hope that you may bring back some ideas on improved government back to your own land. I am sure that you could learn something from the government of this country and so improve your own."

The Selectman's advice was given in what appeared to be good-natured jest, and it was received, more by the American organization than by its British parent members, with a good deal of good-natured boos.

### Seek Tea Party Site

The British Honourables put in a full day of it yesterday and apparently had a lot of fun. They started at 8:45 from the Copley Plaza, dressed in "militia," the American equivalent for "civies," and went to the United Shoe Machinery Building to look at Boston from the 22d floor balcony.

Boston was spread at their feet from that height, but the point of interest that concerned them most was "Where was the Boston Tea Party held." Many Bostonians had difficulty with orientation at that height and from that unusual viewpoint, but the location of T Wharf was ultimately decided and the Britishers were satisfied.

From the United Shoe Building they left in Boston Elevated buses, escorted by Boston motorcycle patrolmen Charles W. Evans and Frank Keeney and State Trooper Kenneth Bailey, for Plymouth. Boston officers dropped the cavalcade at the Boston-Quincy line and the buses continued with the state police escort to Plymouth, where the first stop was at the Monument to the Forefathers on the highest hill in Plymouth.

The visitors got out of buses, crowded about the monument, took photographs and continued on to Burial Hill to look at the stones and grave markers of early Pilgrims and patriots and the two artillery pieces on the side of the hill in the cemetery. From there they went on to King's Path Inn for luncheon, well comes and speeches.

### Leap in, Tackle the Rock

After luncheon the American and British companies continued to Plymouth Rock to examine the stone upon which the first settlers stepped upon arriving in this country. There were about 175 in the party by this time and police regulations for Plymouth Rock were temporarily difficult to enforce.

At a suggestion from Lieut A. R. Danks of the visitors, Bombardier J. A. Constance, J. E. C. Fryett, private L. T. Carmichael and Bombardier P. F. Marshall had vaulted the fence and were down in the pit beside the hallowed rock, tugging at it, but the rock resisted as photographer's bulbs flared.

After an inspection of the rock the party continued to the home of Lieut James J. Curry in Cohasset, where tea, cocktails and sandwiches were served. Then the party returned to Boston for the banquet last night.

Assisting in the reception in Plymouth, in addition to Selectman White, were Selectmen James H. Murray, Howard Douglass, James Frizer and Hugh Merrigall. Intermittent rains interrupted the reception and the Ancients and their guests were driven indoors both at Plymouth and Cohasset, but all were loud in their praise of the hospitality and treatment accorded them and declared that they had enjoyed themselves.

### At Harvard, M. I. T. Today

Harvard College, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and The Country Club, Brookline, will play host today to the Ancients and their English guests.

Following religious services the Ancients of Boston and the Honourables of London will go to The Country Club for lunch. During the afternoon the party will be conducted through Harvard University by officials of that institution. Later in the day they will be entertained at tea at the Institute of Technology.

The final day of the Ancients' tercentenary celebration, tomorrow, will include breakfast at the Copley Plaza, a parade through downtown streets, church services, review on the Common by state and city officials, drumhead election of the Ancients' officers, and a banquet.

Gov. Charles F. Hurley tendered a state dinner to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts and their guests, the Honourable Artillery Company of London at the Copley-Plaza Hotel last night.

Prominent state and city officials attended, and representatives of the English detachment spoke on the traditions and ritual of the Americans.



# DRINK TO HEALTH OF PRESIDENT AND KING



ONE OF MANY TOASTS AT "HONOURABLES" BANQUET

Seated—Sergt. H. Bourne, Capt. A. H. G. Green, Capt. N. H. Radford, D. S. O., U. C.; Capt. S. Pryke and Sergt. P. E. Riley of Honourables. Standing—Sergt. R. L. Mapplebeck, 1st Sergt. A. J. Gorey and Sergt. T. F. McGonnes of Ancients.

## Just 300 Years Ago---

# *Iron Hats 'Tops' For Ancients*

**You'd never guess it, seeing them all decked out in resplendent array at Swampscott today.**

But steel breast-plates and iron hats were all the uniform members of Boston's Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company could scrape together, when their organization was first chartered, just 300 years ago.

First event of the tercentenary celebration the Ancients are now planning is today's Swampscott party, staged as a reception to visiting members of the Honorable Artillery Company of London, England, founded in 1537.

Robert Keayne of Boston was first commander of the Boston Ancients. His home was what is now the site of the Old State House, at Washington and State streets.

He wanted it to be a "School for Officers and a Nursery for Soldiers."

It turned out to be both, and, for an eventful century and more, it distinguished itself in Colonial

wars against French and Indian foemen.

And, if its modern-day members want to wear the gaudiest uniforms you can find this side of the Atlantic ocean, they can't be criticised.

For the Company's undying fame is built on the record of what it did when all the uniform its members could find was a steel breast plate and an iron hat!



# BRITISH VISITORS ARRIVE IN SWAMPSCOTT



GUESTS AND BAY STATE HOSTS AT NEW OCEAN HOUSE

## Famous London Group Feted at Swampscott, Visits Boston Today

Special Dispatch to the Globe

SWAMPSCOTT, June 2—A light-hearted international get-together began at the New Ocean House here tonight as 90 Britishers, members of their King's own Honourable Artillery Company of London, arrived here as guests of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts and announced it was their purpose to strengthen peace and cooperation between the two countries.

Maj. J. A. Hill, commander of the active group of 90 members of the "Honourables," oldest military unit (401 years) in the world, thus described his objectives at a dinner tendered to him and his company by Lieut. Martin Mays of the Ancient and Honourables about to celebrate its 300th anniversary as the oldest military unit in this country.

The visiting "Honourables" said they were much impressed with the view of America obtained in their trip from Montreal, where they were welcomed by Mayor Tobin, through New Hampshire, to Swampscott. After the dinner tonight, which was attended by state and city notables, they went to Wonderland Park in Revere to see the dog racing.

### Arrive in Boston Today

Tomorrow the "Honourables" will make their third visit to Boston, arriving at the North Station at 11 a. m. to be met by members of the "Ancients." After a parade to Faneuil Hall there will be a patriotic luncheon and presentation of medals.

Maj. Hill said he had perhaps been most impressed while passing through Berlin, N. H., where a holiday had been declared and the Union Jack was prominently displayed beside the American flag as schoolchildren cheered the visitors.

A feature of tonight's dinner was the toasts. After Maj. Hill had proposed one to President Roosevelt

for his organization, Lieut.-Col. Charles H. Cahill, commanding officer of the Ancient and Honourables, proposed one to King George VI. The favored English beverage of Scotch-and-soda prevailed among both nationalities at tonight's party.

Among those present at the dinner was the newest member of the Ancients, 90-year-old Joseph Stoddard, state departmental commander of G. A. R., and member of Abraham Lincoln Post, Charlestown.

Stoddard, who lives in Chelsea, enjoyed talking to the youngest member of the two groups, Ancrum Evans, 20, of London, Eng. Stoddard said he was most impressed by Evans' English accent, and Evans reported his interest in what he called the "wooden huts" of New England instead of the typical English brick houses.

Mayor Tobin accompanied the English delegation on its trip from Canada. Others present were Atty. Gen. Paul A. Dever, Gov. Francis Murphy of New Hampshire and Ex-Lieut. Gov. Gaspar G. Bacon.

At the head table sat Capt. James Curry of Boston, who will be elected commander of the Massachusetts group Monday at the drumhead election on Boston Common.

Others at the dinner included Gov. Hurley and Mayor Tobin, Maj. Gen. Daniel H. Needham, Judge Paul Kirk and Judge Joseph Hurley and Deputy Supt. of Boston Police James R. Claffin.

### To Receive Ancients' Medal

At the Faneuil Hall ceremonies tomorrow the British group will be presented with the Ancients' Tercentenary medal.

The London military unit was founded in 1538 as a training school for commissioned and non-commissioned officers. During the World War more than 13,000 men and officers passed through it to the western front. The company's normal strength is 2400 officers and men.

Members of the London group to-night wore a scarlet rose, and a red badge on their sleeves, while the Massachusetts Ancients wore a green badge.

In the State House Hall of Flags tomorrow afternoon at 3, Gov. Hurley will greet the British. Saturday they will make a trip to Plymouth

to view historic shrines, returning to Boston in the evening to be entertained by the Governor at the Copley-Plaza.

Sunday the guests will see the Brockline Country Club, M. I. T., and Harvard University.

### Bears Letter From King

The important exercises will come on Monday, with memorial services at the New Old South Church, a parade to the Boston Common where Gov. Hurley will review the members, a tree planting, and the pageant, "The First Muster."

At the exercises, commemorating the Ancients' tercentenary, Maj. Hill will present to them a sealed letter from King George, handed personally by the King to Major Hill's immediate superior officer in London the day before the delegation sailed.

The active members of the Honourables visiting Boston are:

Battery A—Lieuts. G. R. Armstrong, A. R. Danks, J. V. C. Pearson; Sergeants. A. Y. Garrett, J. C. May; Lieut. Sergeants. P. E. Riley, M. J. W. Russell; S. L. Bird, J. K. Newsom Smith; gunners J. A. Constance, F. E. Eldred, W. L. Jago, J. P. Millis, P. H. Newsom Smith, J. W. Venning, G. Whitehead.  
Battery B—Sergeant. H. Bourne; Lieut. Sergeant. L. A. Barber; Gunners. P. F. Barshall, S. V. Cullen, A. F. Evans, W. S. Mollison, E. B. Neame, J. C. Vine; No. 1 Company, Sergeant. A. G. Orr, L. Corp. H. N. D. Seymour, private G. N. A. Scott; No. 2 Company, Lieut. B. L. Barber, Corp. H. Maynard, L. Corp. J. M. Beaven; No. 3 Company, Lieut. R. H. Piper, privates L. T. Carmichael, P. E. Forwood; No. 4 Company, Lieut. C. J. Wilson, J. C. Nicholl, W. E. Cole, A. L. Price; L. Corps. C. K. H. Twyman, R. P. Wingate; privates A. J. Capps, D. M. Hill, W. D. Pryke.  
Headquarters Wing—Maj. T. O'Brien, L. Corp. D. W. Brown, privates E. R. Duce, G. A. Edwards; Veteran Company, Maj. R. C. Cole, M.B.E., T.D.; Maj. H. V. Landsberg, D.S.O.; Capt. F. Y. Bright, T. B. Brown, M.C.; N. M. Denton, A. H. G. Green, A. E. Keech, H. F. S. Pryke, N. H. Radford, D.S.O., M.C.; H. F. Roberts, C. G. Stratton, H. H. Salshe, M.C.; A. T. Wheeler, Lieut. E. J. Butler, W. Potter Mackenrot, A. Antunovich, H. Big-nold, B. J. Blackburn, C. A. L. Collins, I. W. Douglas, K. D. Emeny, J. E. C. Fryett, W. Fearnside, E. C. Harrop, T. H. James, C. Potter Mackenrot, W. C. Rundle, T. D. Savory, B. F. Sinfen, A. Walsham, E. T. W. Whiting, A. R. Wooton; staff, Capt. R. W. Goodbody, R.H.A., adjutant; Maj. G. Gould Walker, D.S.O., M.C., secretary.



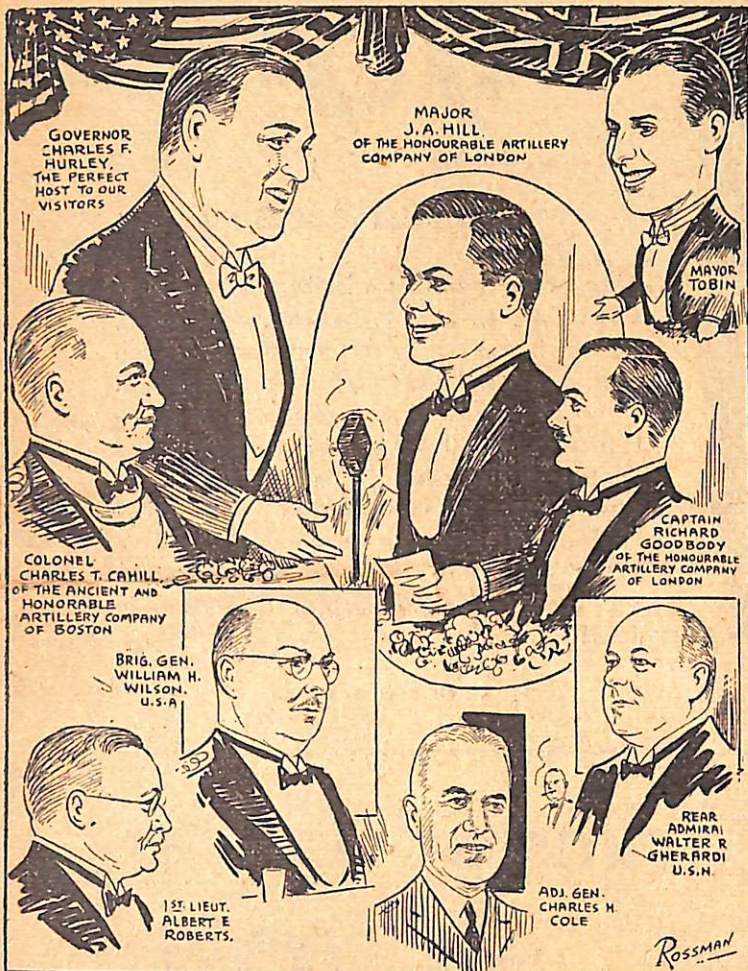


THE FIRST MUSTER OF THE ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY of Massachusetts, on Boston Common in 1638, from a painting by F. Russell Bates, which was recently presented to the Company by Frank Weston Whitcer. This scene will be re-enacted one week from tomorrow on the Common as a part of the Ancients' tercentenary celebration, in which the Honourable Artillery Company of London will participate. Gov. John Endicott, clad in Puritanical black and ruff, is inspecting the Company, followed by the Rev. John Cotton and Robert Keayne, the Company's first commander. This bit of pageantry will be one of many colorful observances incident to the celebration.



# ANCIENTS' GUESTS VISIT 1620 ROCK

## Hurley and Tobin Laud English Visitors at Dinner---Great Celebration Today



One of the high points in the visit of the Honourable Artillery Company of London was reached yesterday when members of that famed organization, in Boston to help the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts celebrate its 300th anniversary, went to Plymouth and viewed the rock upon which the English founders of the nation stepped ashore more than three centuries ago.

### PROVIDES THRILL

The Plymouth visit, and the other events of the day were only a prelude to the big day of the celebration, which comes tomorrow, but it provided the visitors with a thrill. After visiting Plymouth and being entertained they returned for a dinner given in their honor by Governor Hurley at the Copley-Plaza Hotel.

Members of the London company, in informal chats with the local "Ancients," expressed gratitude for the continuous round of honors given them, and said they have enjoyed themselves more than they thought possible. They were lauded by Governor Hur-

ley and Mayor Tobin for their enthusiasm and co-operation in the present celebration, and Major J. A. Hill, commander of the company, declared the primary purpose of the journey, which is to make friends, has already been accomplished.

Governor Hurley told them he was expressing the welcome of 4,000,000 residents of Massachusetts, and he hoped the Londoners would return home with fond recollections. Major Hill, in reply, said the visit would always remain in their memories.

Mayor Tobin, who had been with the Londoners almost constantly since their arrival in Quebec, once again told of his pleasure in greeting them in behalf of the citizens of Boston, and similar expressions of welcome were made by Lieutenant-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancients; Rear-Admiral W. R. Gherardi, commandant of the Boston navy yard; Brigadier-General William H. Wilson of the First Corps area, and Adjutant-General Charles H. Cole.

### See Boston From On High

Among those at the head table were Major R. C. Cole of London, Captain R. H. Goodbody, adjutant of the H. A. C.; Lieutenant-Colonel Robert M. Montague, Major Terrence O'Brien of the H. A. C.; Major J. Gould Walker, secretary of the H. A. C.; Lieutenant-General Edward L. Logan,

## "LET PLYMOUTH ROCK STAY"



### "HEY, LET PLYMOUTH ROCK STAY"

We like the members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London fine, but when they decide to lift Plymouth Rock and take it home as a souvenir, we protest it. It was only in fun, however. A group of the British delegation is surrounding the historic old boulder.

Lieutenant Wallace D. Riddell, Captain William H. Ellis and Councillors Frank Brooks and Joseph B. Grossman.

Before going to Plymouth in the morning the Londoners obtained a view of the city from the 22d floor of the United Shoe Machinery building in Federal street. After looking over the points of historical interest in Plymouth, including two English cannon presented by the British government to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in 1921, and taking luncheon at the King's Path Inn the visitors were guests at tea of Lieutenant J. Curry of the Ancients in Cohasset.

Today the visitors will see Harvard and Tech and other places in Greater Boston.

### To Wear Old Uniforms

The programme will commence with a breakfast at the Copley-Plaza, after which the group will go to Faneuil Hall armory. At noon they will parade with the Ancient and Honorable. This parade will be one of the largest in the history of the Ancients, and groups in line will include the Old Guard of New York, the Governor's Footguards of Hartford, the Lexington Minute Men, the Bristol Train of Artillery and other prominent organizations.

The uniforms worn in every period in the history of the country from the earliest Colonial days to the present will be worn in the parade.

The traditional muster field of the company, Boston Common, will be used for the review, and a good-will tree, the gift of King George of England, will be planted. There will be a pageant, and the annual drumhead election and commissioning of officers. In the evening the annual banquet, final event of the celebration, will be held.

12:30 and 1 p. m. tomorrow on South Market street, with the visiting delegations forming in State street, and the field artillery battery in India street.

The route is over Commercial, State, Washington, School, Tremont and Park streets to Beacon street, and return through Beacon to Tremont street, to Boylston street, to the Old South Church at Boylston and Dartmouth streets. Leaving the church after services, the parade will go over Boylston, Arlington and Beacon streets to the Common. Leaving the Common, they march through Charles and Boylston streets and Copley square to the Copley-Plaza Hotel.

The school cadet parade will start at 9:30 a. m. and the route will be through Clarendon and Stuart streets, Columbus avenue, Park square, Boylston, Tremont, Park, Beacon, Arlington, Marlborough and Dartmouth streets, to Copley square, where they will board street cars on Huntington avenue. Fewer than 1000 are expected to be in tomorrow's parade, but 16,000 will be in line Tuesday, when the cadets march.



## MILITARY HOSTS AND GUESTS HOBNOBBING



Maj. James H. W. Myrick, former captain of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Lt.-Gen. Alfred F. Foote, former commander of the 26th division, national guard, and Capt. A. T. Wheeler of the Honourable Artillery Company of London (left to right), at the New Ocean House, Swampscott.

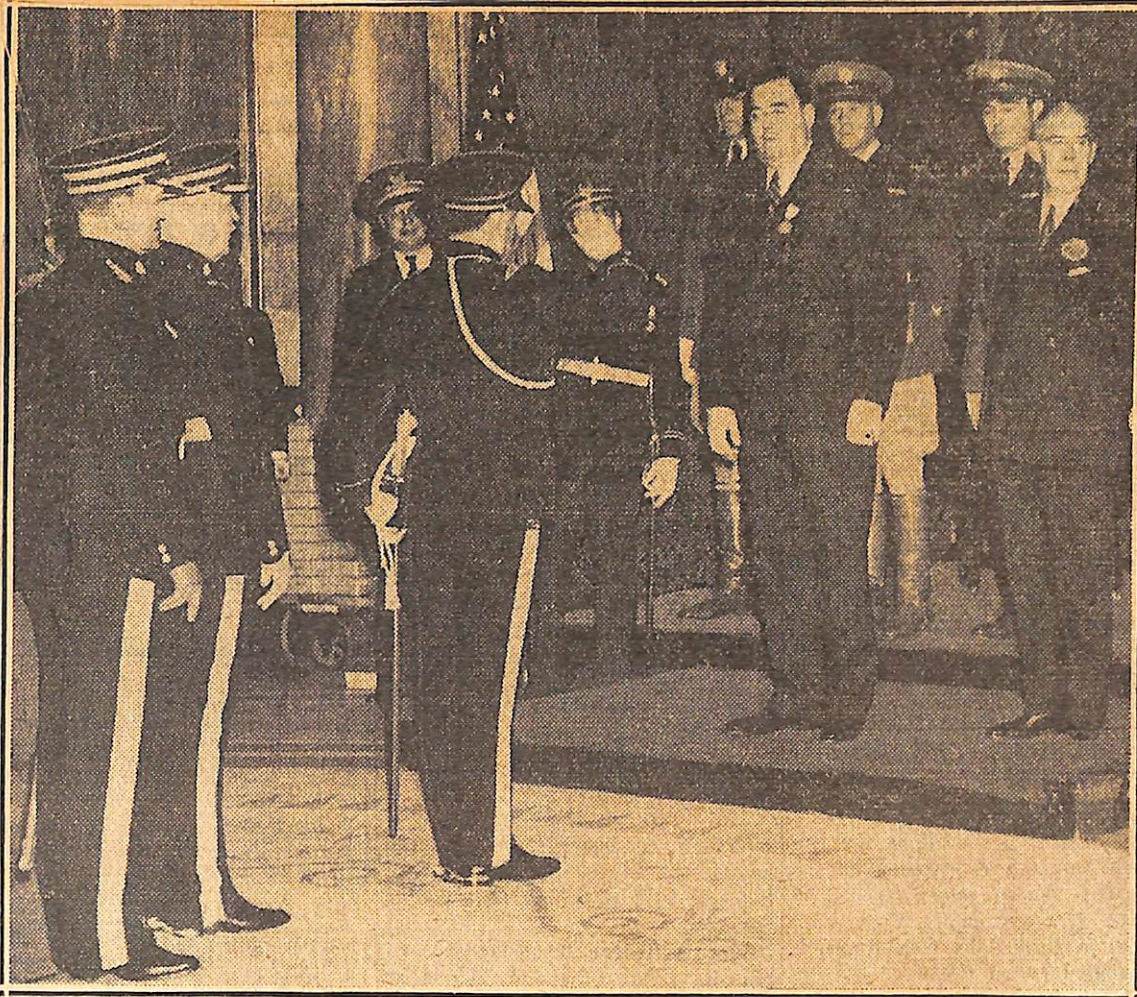


Maj. J. A. Hill (left), commander of the visiting delegation of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, and Col. Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.



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# State and City Welcome Honourable Artillery Co.



## THE GOVERNOR RECEIVES THE VISITORS

Members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London shown as they were received by Governor Hurley yesterday in the Hall of Flags at the State House. One of the visitors is shown rising smartly to salute.

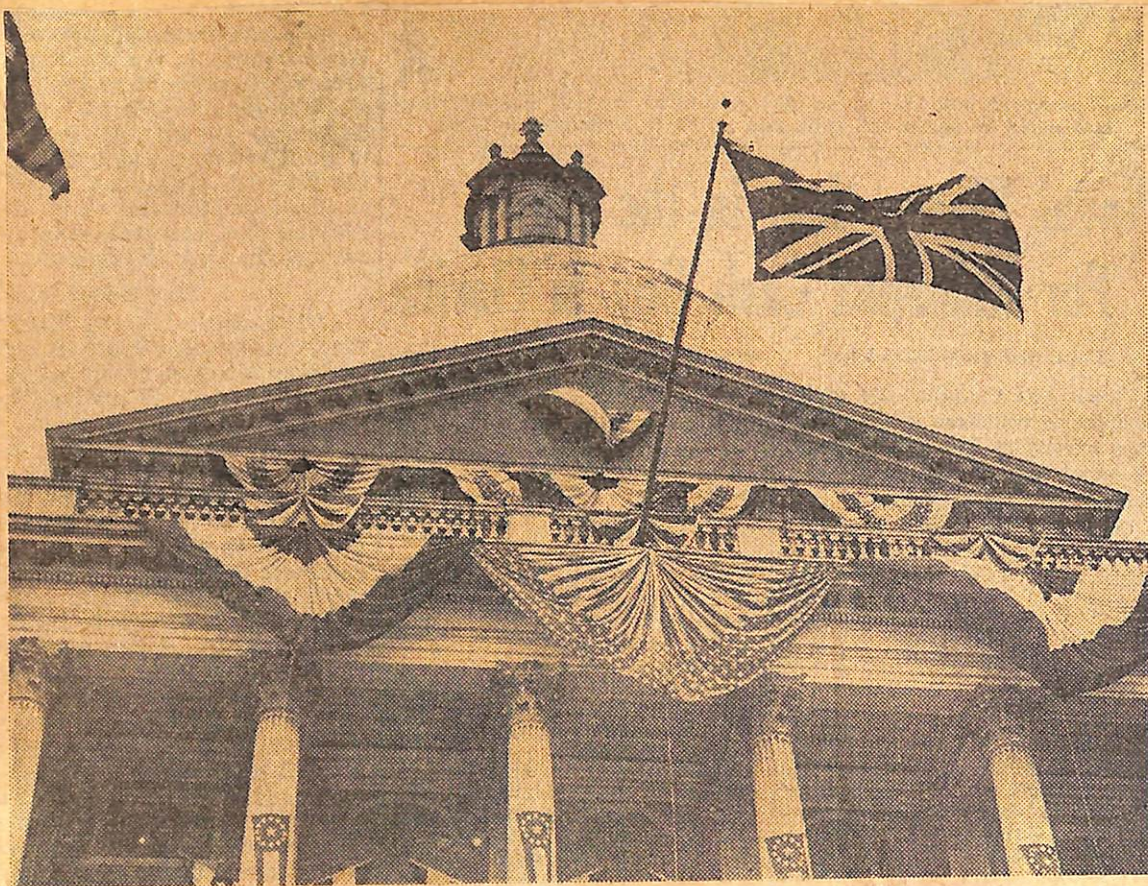
## HANDS ACROSS SEA AT WARRIORS' REUNION



At Ancients' celebration at New Ocean House, Swampscott. Left to right—Maj. Charles L. Malley; Maj. R. C. Cole of Honourable Artillery Company of London; Mayor Tobin; Capt. Frank Doudera of The Balsams, N. H.; Gov. Murphy of New Hampshire; Col. Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston.



## British Troops March in Triumph; Union Jack Floats on State House



British Union Jack waving over main entrance to the State House.

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## ANCIENTS PLANT OAK TREE PRESENTED BY GEORGE VI



Maj. J. A. C. Hill of the Honourable Artillery Company of London assisted in planting an oak tree, gift of King George VI, yesterday at tercentenary exercises of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts on Boston Common.



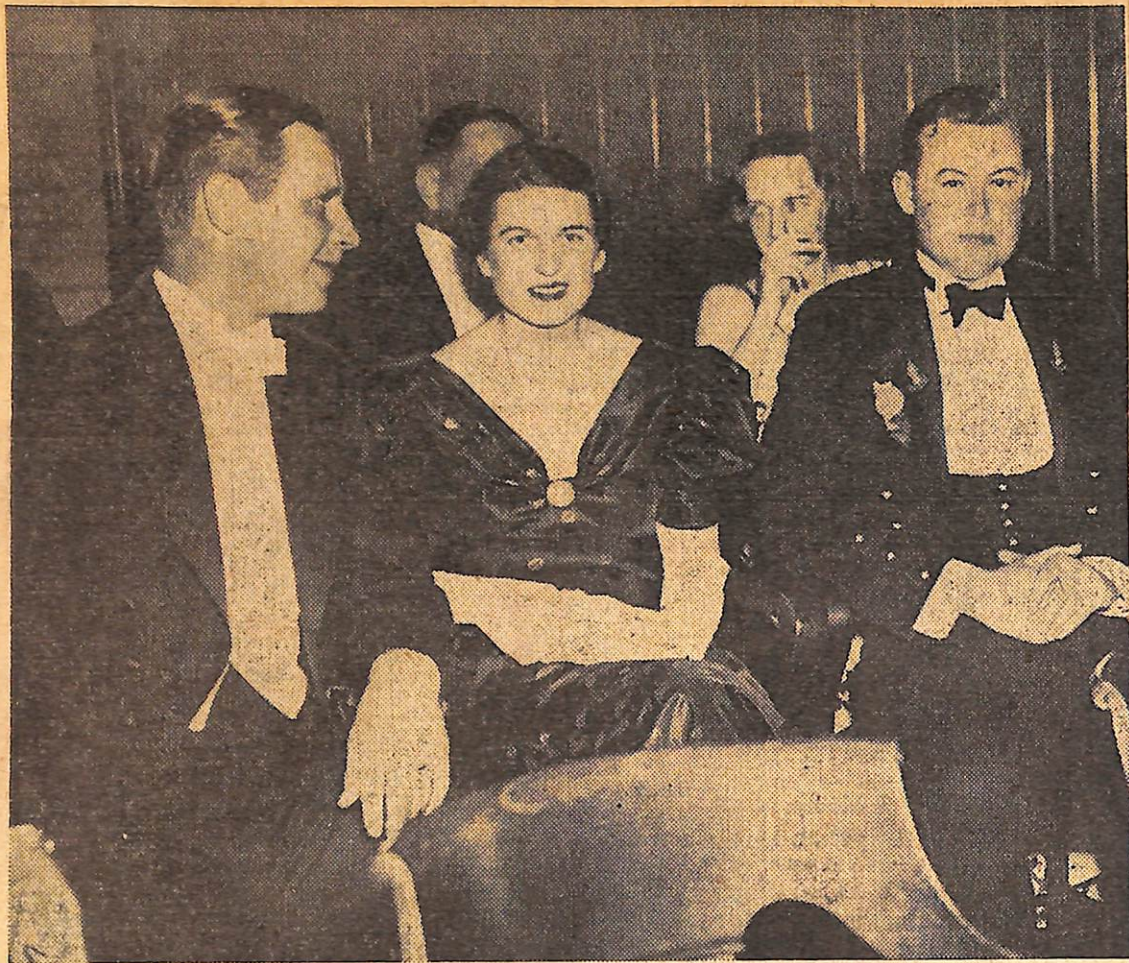


**Honourables on Parade**—Thousands bank both sides of State street as the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston and the Honourable Artillery Company of London join in a parade today to climax the Ancients' tercentenary celebration.

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## AT BALL FOR LONDON HONOURABLES



Mayor and Mrs. Tobin and Maj. J. A. Hill, commander of the Honourable Artillery company of London, at the formal ball for the British visitors at the First Corps of Cadets armory.

### BRILLIANT MILITARY BALL WINDS UP DAY

By ALAN FRASER

While the union jack flew over the State House and City Hall, 83 members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, the red and gold trim of their uniforms brightening a gray day, received gifts yesterday from Gov. Hurley and Mayor Tobin in token of their peaceful invasion of the section where the spark of American liberty was fanned into flame.

Once again Boston's oldest streets felt the tread of spurred British boots, once more the air was filled with clipped commands in English accents, as the London Honourables, stiffly erect, swords swinging at their sides, came to bestow the aura of their four centuries of tradition on the 300th anniversary of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

The first of four festive days for the visitors from across the sea began with a parade from the North Station to Faneuil Hall and ended with a brilliant military ball last night at the First Corps of Cadets armory on Columbus avenue. Between these two events the Britishers were officially welcomed by state and city and cheered by thousands.

#### BRIGHT RED MESS COATS

Nearly 1500 attended the ball, which took place in a hall lavishly draped with flags and fairly ablaze with the splendor of dress uniforms of many colors. The British officers attended, wearing bright red mess coats and dark blue trousers, striped with red. The Ancients were in evening dress uniforms, some wearing mess coats of dark blue with gold-braid adornment. The National Lancers were in blue-breasted red-coats with yellow striped trousers

of blue, the Lexington Minutemen were in colonial buff and blue and the First Corps of Cadets in light blue and white.

Mayor and Mrs. Tobin, Rear Admiral Walter R. Gherardi and other notables sat in boxes decorated in pastel shades, and watched the Lawrence Light Guards of Medford, in their West Point uniforms and cockades, but on a precision drill.

This was followed by the thrilling trooping of the colors by the First Corps of Cadets, the red-coated Second Corps of Cadets of Salem, the Lexington Minutemen, the Fusilier Veterans of Boston, the Salem light infantry, National Lancers, Massachusetts Military Academy, 101st field artillery, 101st quartermaster regiment, 101st medical regiment, 101st engineers, 102d field artillery and 241st coast artillery. The band played "God Save the King" and "The Star-Spangled Banner."

In the receiving line were leaders of the Ancients and their wives: Col. Charles T. Cahill and Mrs. Cahill of Cambridge, First Lt. Albert E. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts of Braintree, Second Lt. Louis C. Adams and Mrs. Adams of West Newton, Maj. Wallace D. Riddell and Mrs. Riddell of Allston and Capt. and Mrs. James Curry.

#### GRAND MARCH

Brightly-gowned women were escorted by the brilliantly-clad military men in the grand march. Scores of women and girls stood outside the armory until after 10 P. M., watching the arrivals.

Yesterday afternoon the Old South Church, King's Chapel and Faneuil Hall, which had long ago looked upon English soldiers in war array, echoed to the shrieking sirens of police motorcycles, as three huge buses, laden with these peaceful invaders, rolled over hallowed ground, carrying the Honourables up Beacon Hill and down again. Traffic on Beacon, School, Tremont and Park streets was hopelessly jammed for an hour while the British delegation, with the aid of the Ancients, wrote a new page of history in the friendship of two nations.

In the Hall of Flags at the State House each of the visitors, after a click of the heels and a British salute, received from the Governor

a beautifully illuminated copy of the Log of the Mayflower, inscribed with his name, signed by the Governor and attested by Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook.

This is the so-called Bradford History, the original of which reposes in the State House library, where the Londoners were permitted to inspect it. It tells the story of the Mayflower's voyage, made 83 years after the Honourable Artillery Company of London was formed and only 13 years before the Ancients were organized in the same pattern.

The copies were the gifts of the Ancients who, however, chose to make them gifts of the state, as well. Today the Honourables will go to Plymouth to see the harbor into which the Mayflower sailed and participate in ceremonies at Pilgrim shrines.

#### RECEIVED BY GOVERNOR

Gov. Hurley received the guests of the Ancients on a dais, with a background of fir trees. Behind him stood Adj.-Gen. Charles H. Cole and his other military aides, and at his side were Col. Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancients, and Capt. William H. Ellis, past commander, who was assigned by Col. Cahill to oversee arrangements for the ceremony. Secretary Cook was also present.

As the men filed out of the shrine where the battle flags of Massachusetts regiments in the civil, Spanish-American and world wars stand encased, the spectators had an opportunity to inspect their uniforms. The dark blue was set off with broad red stripes on the trousers and the men of the gunners' division wore chain mail on their shoulders and gold cords, which they call lines, on their coats. Swords were carried by all the gunners and by the officers of the infantry division. The rifles of the infantrymen were left at home, but there were plentiful touches of gold braid and shining buttons, bits of red and hundreds of medals, to provide military color to the scene.

From the State House, where they also visited the House chamber and viewed the sacred cod, they went to City Hall and in the mayor's office were presented by Mayor Tobin with leather wallets, bearing their names

and an inscription in commemoration of the Ancients' anniversary. They were also given historic pamphlets entitled "Faneuil Hall, Cradle of American Liberty." More than 2000 persons gathered in School street to watch them arrive and leave.

The Ancients' medal, commemorating their anniversary, was pinned on Mayor Tobin by Col. Cahill. The mayor met the Honourables on the dock at Quebec when they arrived

from England and journeyed to Swampscott with them Thursday, and he was a guest of honor at the military ball last night.

In full regalia, the Ancients met the London men yesterday forenoon upon their arrival on the Nashua street side of the North station in buses which brought them from the New Ocean House, Swampscott.

Led by Maj. A. J. Hill, who is in command in place of Col. the Earl Fortescue, who was injured in a hunting accident, the visitors passed in review before the Ancients who presented arms and dipped their colors. Lt. A. R. Banks was in command of the gunners' division of the Honourables, Maj. T. O. O'Brien of the infantry and Maj. R. C. Cole of the veterans.

Thousands, both on the sidewalks and in windows, watched the parade of the two colorful organizations—the oldest military organizations in the world—through Canal street, Haymarket square, Washington street, Adams square and Dock square to Faneuil Hall.

"Welcome, Englishmen," the first words uttered to the Pilgrims by friendly Indians at Plymouth, greeted the British delegation on a banner as they marched up the stairs to the Ancients' armory on the top floor of the historic structure. A luncheon was served and each of the Englishmen was presented with the Ancients' 300th anniversary medal by Col. Cahill.

#### INFORMAL CHATTING

Nearly two hours of informal chatting followed. Many of the Britishers were still talking enthusiastically about Thursday's ride through the White Mountains when they were royally received at various points and saw, with a thrill, the Old Man of the Mountain and other scenic features of the Granite state.

A happy reunion took place when Richard Quance of Dorchester, N. H., greeted his nephew, Capt. Alfred H. Q. Green of Coventry, England, whom he had not seen for 18 years. Mementos of the Ancients, including the historic paintings which line the walls of their quarters, were inspected by the Englishmen with considerable interest.

The Ancients turned out to meet the Honourables in full dress, with white gloves, olive drab service uniforms being worn by those entitled to wear them. Capt. Lionel G. H. Palmer was officer of the day.

Before today's trip to Plymouth the Honourables will visit the museum at the United Shoe Machinery Company building and view the city from the roof, and after the trip will be guests of Gov. Hurley at dinner at the Copley Plaza. Tomorrow will be devoted to sight-seeing at Harvard and M. I. T., with a luncheon at The Country Club, Brookline. On Monday will come the big parade of many old American military units and the review and drumhead election of the Ancients on the Common.



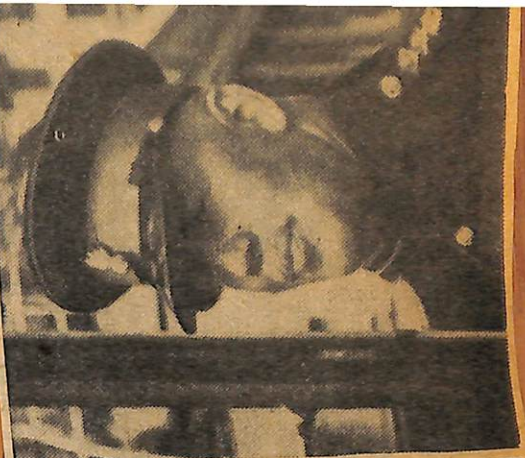


**Ancients Step Out**—Governor Hurley parades behind the combined flags of the United States and Great Britain today as the Honourable Artillery Company of London steps out to help the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston celebrate its 300th anniversary.

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## As Ancients Entertain British

Left to Right—Sergt. J. C. May of the Honourable Artillery Company of London; 2d Lieut. Kenneth Emery of the Honourables dining with Lieut. Frank Volpe of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston; Thomas Henry James of the Honourables; Capt. N. H. Radford of the Honourables.



### A MEDAL FOR THE MAYOR

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancients, shown as he pinned a commemorative medal on Mayor Tobin, right.

## Some of the Ancients' Guests



Left to Right—Capt. Fred Fortin, Lieut. William Klaus and Lieut. Randolph Fisher in resplendent uniforms of the Old Guard State Fencibles, Philadelphia, organized in 1813.



## PLANNING RECEPTION TO BRITISH VISITORS



Wives of members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company planning for a reception to wives of the Honorable Artillery Company of London at the approaching tercentenary exercises of the local organization. Left to right: Mrs. Louis C. Adams, Mrs. Charles T. Cahill, Mrs. Wallace D. Riddell and Mrs. Clarence J. McKenzie.

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## NOTABLES IN ANCIENTS GRAND MARCH



SCENE AT FIRST CORPS CADETS ARMORY  
Left to Right—Mrs. Maurice J. Tobin, Commander Charles T. Cahill of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, Mrs. Charles T. Cahill and Mayor Tobin.

## British Ancients Due in Hub Toady

A rousing reception today awaited 82 members of London's Honorable Artillery Company, due to arrive this afternoon to participate in the 300th anniversary celebration of the Massachusetts Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

The British visitors, members of the oldest military organization in the world, breakfasted this morning at Dixville Notch, N. H., where they were guests of Governor Francis P. Murphy.

A Boston welcoming committee, led by Mayor Tobin, accompanied the Britishers to Laconia, N. H., where a reception was planned for 1:30 a. m. Immediately, the group were to continue on to the New Ocean House, Swampscott, where a dinner in their honor is scheduled tonight.

The Ancients will meet at a luncheon at Faneuil Hall tomorrow noon and then be received by Governor Hurley in the State House.

Following a visit to City Hall, the visitors will be guests at a ball given in their honor at the First Corps Cadets Armory. On Saturday and Sunday, visits will be made to historic points of interest.

A parade with all the splendor of pageantry will precede the annual drum head election of the Boston organization on Boston Common on Monday.

## Currys Hosts At Tea Party

Cohasset residents are busy brushing up on their knowledge of English history in preparation for meeting a hundred or so members of the London Artillery Company, who will be entertained at a tea party Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. James Curry, at their Cohasset home. Mr. Curry is the new commander of the Ancient and Honorables of Boston.

Mrs. Curry has invited about twenty friends to serve as pourers at the tea, and a group of post debts will also assist.

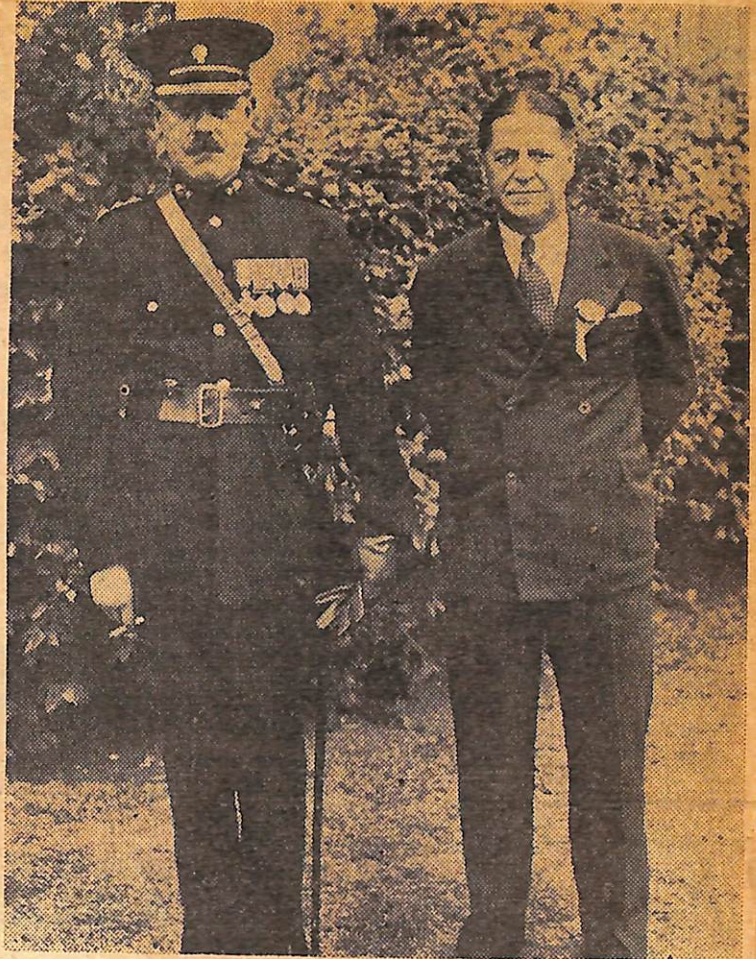


## WATCHING THE DANCERS

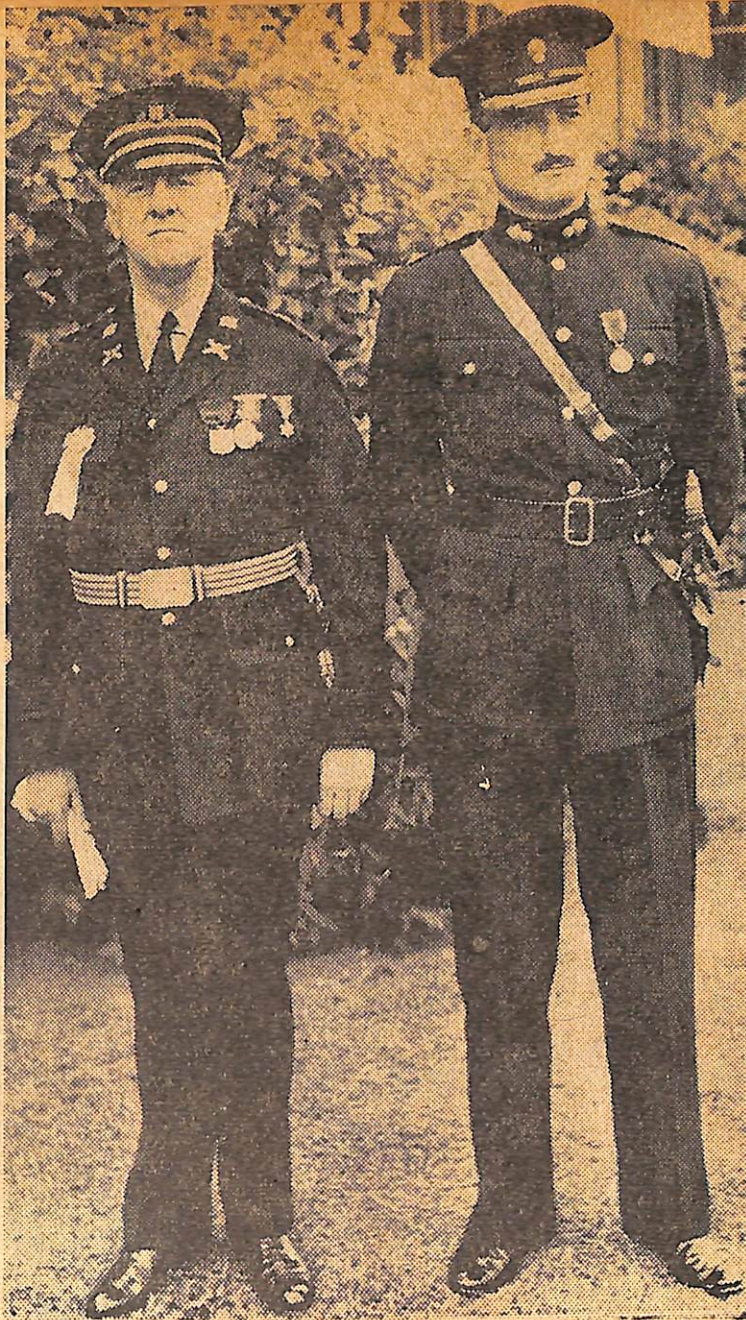
Boston Ancients and London Honourables are shown watching the dancers at the big ball in the First Corps Cadets Armory last night. Left to right, Captain F. Y. Bright of London, Colonel Henry D. Comerai of Newton, Captain H. H. H. Walshe of London and Colonel Porter B. Chase of Newton.



## ON VISIT TO HISTORIC SHRINES



Two of the British visitors, Capt. Stanley Pryke and W. N. Bennett, both of London, shown at Plymouth where the Honourable Artillery Company of London was entertained yesterday.



Lt. J. E. G. Coxwell of Ancients poses at Swampscott with Lt. Eustis Cole of Honourables (right).

## BRITISH GUESTS IN SKIT AT PLYMOUTH ROCK



Husky members of Honourable Artillery Company of London look as if they would throw the famous Rock into the sea, but can't.

### KING GEORGE TO HEAR ANCIENTS' RECEPTION

Descriptions of the exercises marking the 300th anniversary of the founding of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts will be broadcast from Boston to England during the celebration beginning next Friday, Lt.-Col. Charles T. Cahill, commanding officer of the company, announced yesterday.

Lt.-Col. Cahill said the broadcasts were requested by King George of England, who has shown unusual interest in the event. One hundred members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London and their wives and families also will attend the event.

A special good-will message from the King will be read at the tercentenary dinner next Monday night. The dinner and the planting of "England's good-will tree" on Boston Common Monday afternoon will be broadcast to Europe.

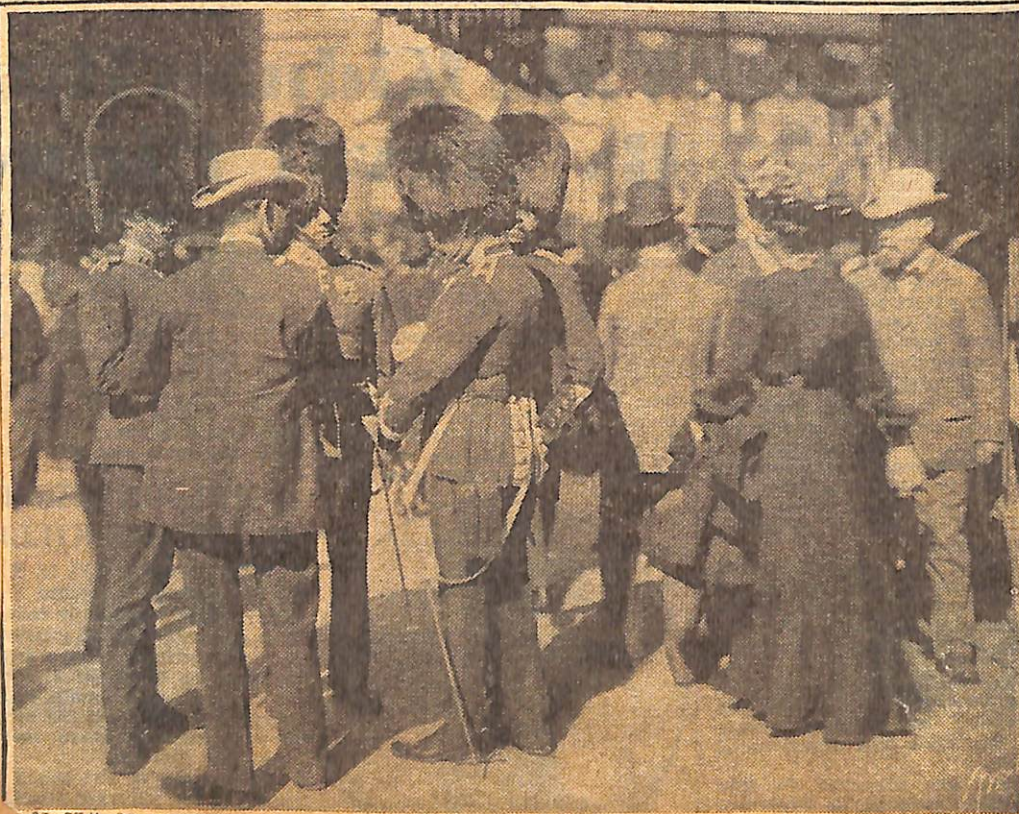


# Busby to Garrison Cap--Thirty-five Years Between Ancients' Visit



## Crowds Lined Tremont Street

London Honourable Artillery Company parades down Tremont st. in October, 1903, wearing big busbies. Crowd filled Boylston st. Klein's, Boston's first all-night drug store, is on corner. "The Silver Slipper" was playing at the Colonial Theater. Hotel Pelham on corner.



## With Flags Furled

Present-day London Honourable Artillery Company, above, as it paraded yesterday, with colors furled, in Swampscott. The outfit is the oldest military organization in the world.

(Daily Record Photos)



# Ancients Delegation Off to Meet Londoners in Toronto



LEAVING FOR TORONTO

Front Row (left to right)—Maj. Charles A. Malley, Mayor Tobin, Lieut. Albert E. Roberts. On Steps (from top down)—Lieut. J. Grinfeld Coxwell, Cornelius A. Reardon, Lieut. Eugene C. Hudson.

Accompanied by Mayor Tobin and his secretary, Cornelius A. Reardon, four members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts left last night for Canada to greet members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, England, coming here to help celebrate the 300th anniversary of the Ancients.

The delegation of Ancients in-

cluded Maj. Charles A. Malley, First Lieut. Albert E. Roberts, Lieut. J. Grinfeld Coxwell and Lieut. Eugene C. Hudson. The group left on the 8:45 train from North Station.

This morning they will breakfast in Montreal, then go to Quebec City, arriving there this afternoon. Mayor Tobin is expected to call on the Mayor of the city.

Tomorrow morning the delegation

## ANCIENTS AT QUEBEC



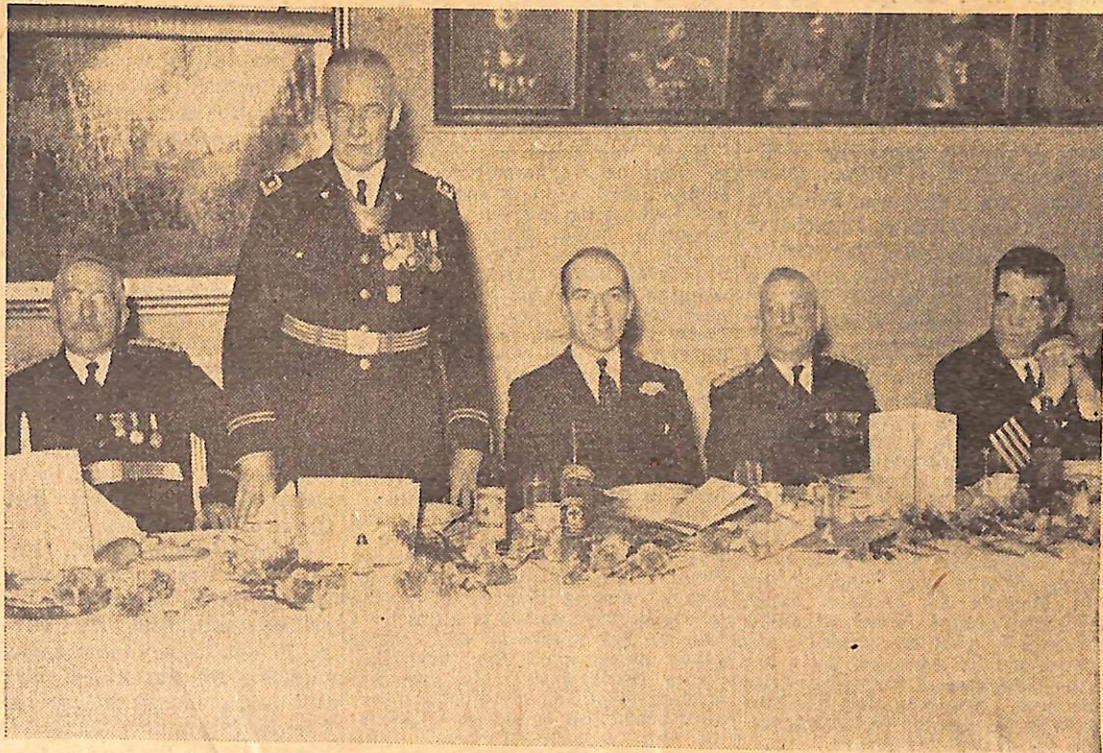
Officers of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston who are on the reception committee to greet members of the Honorable Artillery Company of London in Quebec today. Top, left to right: Past Commander Capt. Clarence J. McKenzie, Lt.-Col. Charles T. Cahill, commanding officer, and Past Commander Maj. Francis S. Cummings. Bottom, left to right: 2d Lt. Louis C. Adams, Past Commander Capt. Fred E. Bolton, and 1st Lt. Albert C. Roberts.

## Ancients to Meet Mother Company





# Ancients Resent Absence of Gov. Hurley, Call on Buckley For Speech at Banquet



## AT ANCIENTS' BANQUET

Left to Right—First Lieut. Albert E. Roberts, Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, Captain of the Ancients; William A. Reilly, fire commissioner; 2d Lieut. Louis E. Adams, Capt. C. C. Soule, U.S.N.

For the first time in many a year, Boston's famed scarlet-coated Ancients, oldest of all American military organizations, yesterday celebrated a Washington's Birthday without the presence of the Governor of the Commonwealth.

Two previous engagements, a letter from Gov. Hurley's secretary explained, prevented his attending.

Announcement of the Governor's inability to be present was made by Lieut. Albert E. Roberts, who said: "We had hoped to have the Governor with us today; it has been traditional to have him with us at this time." For the moment, the program of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company halted and Faneuil Hall rang with shouts and hand-clapping as one unidentified member shouted: "We'll take care of that in November."

### Buckley Asked to Speak

Invited as a head-table guest but not scheduled to speak, State Auditor Thomas H. Buckley, avowed candidate for Governor, yielded to demands for "speech" after Pres. Samuel H. Wragg of the State Senate, representing the Commonwealth; Fire Commissioner William Arthur Reilly, representing the city, and Capt. C. C. Soule, U. S. N., representing the navy, had spoken.

Auditor Buckley praised George Washington for his stand in steering clear of alliances with any portion of the foreign world. He declared that Washington's words are just as good advice today as they were in his day.

At the same time, he urged support for the Administration in its attempts to restore our national defense "so that we shall never fear invasion by foreign foes or groups of foes."

He called for this state, "the pioneer Commonwealth in advancing liberty," to set the example for a new understanding of what our Government is trying to do to protect the rights of the individual and to assure a continuance of the principles of freedom, education, the home and justice for all, through a proper national defense against aggression and a policy of no foreign alliances.

Fire Commissioner Reilly, in a stirring plea, declared that Mayor Tobin was "forced" to do many "unpleasant things, many unpopular things and many unpolitic things" and asked for the Mayor "a degree of cooperation and a degree of sympathy you may not have extended to previous Mayors."

He drew a parallel between the courageous action of Washington which left him standing alone and misunderstood when he needed support the most, with the present

situation in which Mayor Tobin finds himself.

### Captain, 78, Plays Drum

An unusual note was brought into the celebration when 78-year-old Capt. Frank L. Nagle of Newton, a past commander of the Ancients, and son of Maj. Gen. James Nagle who was present at the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, demonstrated his ability in handling a Civil War drum which had just been presented to the company.

The drum was once the property of George L. Pulsifer, who served in Company E, 44th Massachusetts, to whom it was presented by his friends in City Wharf, Boston, Sept. 1, 1862.

Capt. Fred E. Bolton, senior past commander of the company, turned over the drum and a sterling silver canteen—a replica of a Civil War canteen—on behalf of Mrs. Bessie Gerlach, daughter of William J. Hargraves of Jamaica Plain, last member of Gettysburg Post 191, who died about six months ago.

The canteen was originally presented to Gettysburg Post during the Grand Army Encampment in Boston in 1890, by Alexander Hamilton Post of New York.

Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, captain commanding the company, opened the festivities and presented Lieut. Roberts as the presiding officer.



## Exchange Greetings



Left to right at Montreal as Mayor Tobin greeted Honourable Artillery visitors from London, Lieutenant J. G. Coxwell, London; Major Charles A. Malley, Boston; Mayor Lucien Borne, Quebec; Mayor Tobin, Lieutenant Albert E. Roberts, Boston; Major J. A. Hill, London, and Lieutenant E. C. Hudson, Boston. This AP Wirephoto was made in Montreal by James Jones, Post staff photographer, and sent to Boston by the Post's own portable wirephoto transmitter.

## ANCIENTS MEET BRITISH GUESTS

### Mayor Tobin Takes Part in Quebec Welcome Party, Received in Montreal, Leaves for New Hampshire

MONTREAL, June 1—After a day filled with activity and one that included two rousing receptions, the first at Quebec City and the second at Montreal tonight, the 82 members of London's Honourable Artillery Company, who are accompanied by Mayor Maurice J. Tobin of Boston and a delegation of Boston's Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, late tonight boarded their special Canadian National Railway train for North Stratford, N. H., on the next stage of their journey to Boston where the London visitors will join in the Boston celebration marking the 300th birthday of the Ancients.

From the moment the English artillerymen left their ship in Quebec Harbor early this morning where they were greeted by Mayor Tobin and a delegation from the Ancients headed by Maj. Charles E. Malley, they had something to do and "jolly well liked it."

First there were courtesy calls on civil and military officials of

Quebec, then a luncheon to the London and Boston military men by the military garrison of the ancient French Canadian city.

#### Take Train to Montreal

Early afternoon was devoted to sightseeing and then they boarded a special Canadian National train which was operated under the personal direction of a Boston, T. E. P. Pringle, the Canadian National representative in the Hub, for a fast run to Montreal. Accompanying the visitors to the station, Mayor Lucien Borne, Mayor of Quebec, bid his city's guests bon voyage.

Upon arrival in Montreal this evening the Boston and London Artillerymen were guests of the Grenadier Guards at a buffet supper. This was followed by a tour of the city. At Bonaventure Station to greet the visitors were large delegations of Montreal civil and military organizations headed by Mayor Adelard Raynault and Lieut. Col. Robert Starke of the Victoria Rifles.

Leaving here at midnight, the special train is due in North Stratford, N. H., early tomorrow morning where the overseas visitors will detain for a motor trip through the White Mountains. They will arrive in Boston Friday morning.

Maj. J. A. Hill, commander of the Honourable Artillery Company of London bears a sealed letter from King George VI, which the King has commanded be delivered to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston on the occasion of its tercentenary. The King personally handed the letter to Maj. Hill's immediate superior office in London the day before the English contingent sailed for America.

### ANCIENTS, GUESTS REACH NORTH STRATFORD TODAY

Approximately 100 members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London and the women of the party were scheduled to arrive in North Stratford, N. H., early today from Montreal, en route to this city to participate in the 300th anniversary celebration of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston.

Embarking on an elaborate itinerary today the visitors will be breakfast guests of Gov. Francis P. Murphy at The Balsams, Dixville Notch, and at 8 o'clock will begin a bus tour to Laconia, arriving at 1:30.

This afternoon they will continue to the New Ocean House at Swampscott where they will be the guests of Lieut. Martin Hays at dinner and attend the dog racing at Revere.

Tomorrow morning the Britishers, in uniform, will leave the New Ocean House at 10:30 and arrive at the North Station at 11 o'clock. The entire Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company will escort them to Faneuil Hall for luncheon and the presentation of the Ancients' tercentenary medals to the visitors. The parade will be a preview of the pageantry scheduled for Monday when the Ancients and other historic organizations in this country will hold their annual drumhead election on Boston Common.

At 2:30 tomorrow afternoon Gov. Hurley will receive the visitors in the Hall of Flags and present each with an illuminated "Log of the Mayflower." Later at City Hall they will be received by Mayor Tobin. Then they will go to the Copley Plaza to prepare for the military

## Tobin Will Go to Quebec to Greet Ancients

### Commander Cahill Will Head Delegation to Reception There

"A school for officers and a nursery for soldiers."

If that were applied today to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company there might be a battle royal without the preliminary of anyone's removing glasses but it was applied to the company 300 years ago by the man who was responsible for founding it.

It was a prominent citizen of the time, Robert Keayne, whose home was at State and Washington streets. He had been a member of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, founded in 1537, and it was his idea that a company should be formed here.

Accordingly, at his death he left various sums of money for public benefit and to the Town of Boston the land at the head of State street for a Town House, together with money to build it, providing, however, that "the military company of Massachusetts should have a room in the Town House for an armory and for soldiers to meet when they had occasion."

This is the land on which the old State House now stands, the gift of which was accepted by the Town of Boston.

#### Moved to Faneuil Hall

The company occupied the Town House for about 100 years and then in 1746 moved to Faneuil Hall, erected by Peter Faneuil. There it has remained to the present except for brief periods during the rebuilding of the hall after the fire in 1761 and at times when the building has been remodeled. It is the oldest armory in continuous use by a military organization in the United States.

Pictures of all but one of the past commanders may now be seen in the Faneuil Hall museum. The missing one—the most important — is Robert Keayne. On those walls hang pictures of men who made Massachusetts famous. Many were of the company; many were statesmen who belong to the long list of distinguished men who advocated the cause of freedom from the rostrum of "The Cradle of Liberty."

History will live again the first Monday in June when the company celebrates its 300th anniversary with one hundred guests from the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of London who are coming to return a visit by the local organization last

summer to the 400th anniversary of the British group.

Mayor Tobin is planning to go to Quebec with representatives of the local group to greet the incoming visitors from London on Wednesday. Lieutenant Colonel Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancients, will head the delegation accompanying the Mayor.

Governor Murphy of New Hampshire is to be host on Thursday in North Stratford and by that night the visitors will have motored to Swampscott to stay at the Ocean House. Friday, they come to Boston to be met by the company here and escorted to the Faneuil Hall Armory.

In full military uniform the members and guests will gather at the Armory a week from Monday and from Faneuil Hall will march to the State House to receive the Governor and escort him to the Old South Church to honor comrades who died this year, and to the Common where the parade and drum head election of the officers have been held for 300 years.

That afternoon, the Governor will receive the resignations of the retiring officers and commission the new, fasten around the neck of the commander-elect the gorget, ancient badge of a commissioned officer, and place in his hand the Halberd, badge of his authority.

Then the company will be ready for its fourth century of service.

## "ANCIENTS" TO MEET BRITISH IN QUEBEC

### N. H. to Entertain Group En Route to Boston

The British are coming—the Honourable Artillery Company of London—to help the Boston "Ancients" celebrate their 300th anniversary. The Londoners will arrive in Quebec Wednesday, where they will be met by Mayor Tobin and a delegation from the Boston organization.

The British group, here to participate in the Boston "Ancients' 300th anniversary celebration, and their Boston greeters, headed by Mayor Tobin and Past Commander Charles O'Malley, will be met at the New Hampshire line at 5 a. m. Thursday by Gov. Francis P. Murphy and his staff.

New Hampshire's entertainment of the Britishers will include breakfast at Dixville Notch, and trips to the Twin Mountains, the Old Man of the Mountain, Laconia, Plymouth, Lake Winnepesaukee, Concord, and Manchester. The London "Ancients" will arrive at Salem, Mass., at 4:15 p. m. Thursday, and at the New Ocean House, Swampscott, that evening.

The celebration of the Boston Company's 300th anniversary and program for the Londoners will include a dinner at a local hotel, a military ball at the Cadet Armory, luncheons, teas, suppers, sight-seeing trips, and two parades.

The women's committee, wives of officers of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, met at a luncheon yesterday afternoon at the Women's Republican Club of Massachusetts to perfect plans to entertain the women accompanying the Honourable Artillery Company London.

The visiting women will be at a tea at Hotel Somerset afternoon, following the reception by Gov. Hurley and Mayor Tobin earlier in the day.

Gov. Hurley will present London guests with personal copies of the Log of the State, adorned with the state seal, tested by the Secretaries, Frederic Cook.

Saturday the visitors will be taken on a trip to the Cape Cod to the Golf Club at Falmouth. The program also includes Harvard University Flowers, also to the State House.

The committee includes Mrs. C. of the commander, Lieut. Martin Hays, Mrs. A. Wallace D. Adams and Kenzie.



# TOBIN MAKES BIG HIT WITH LONDONERS

## Visitors Laud Envoy Kennedy When Met in Quebec

BY JOHN GRIFFIN

MONTREAL, June 1—Nearly 100 members of the world's oldest military organization, the Honourable Artillery Company of London, reached here tonight en route to Boston to help the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts celebrate its 300th anniversary. After a reception and entertainment by the Canadian Grenadiers, the London group left for North Stratford, N. H., on a special train at midnight.

### AT QUEBEC, FIRST

The London visitors arrived in Quebec this morning, where they were met by officers of the "Ancients" and Mayor Tobin, and spent several busy hours in that city before leaving on a special Canadian National train for Montreal.

Tomorrow morning they will be met at the New Hampshire line by Governor Francis P. Murphy and will be taken on a sight-seeing trip in that State before reaching Swampscott by nightfall.

The delegation from the London company comprises the public school boys of England, upon whom England largely depends for its army officers. Most of them are young, though they are members of a military unit which had representatives in Boston at the time of the tea party and whose company antedates the Royal Scots by a century.

### Glorious Tradition

They form one of the most interesting groups ever to visit Boston. Most of them are members of the wealthy families of England, imbued with the tradition of a regiment which has taken part in all of England's wars since 1537, and which sent several thousand men to France during the World war.

Those who comprise the delegation that came over for the Ancient's celebration are selected volunteers from the regiment. The night before they left England they were received by King George, who gave them a farewell message.

They are led by a youthful officer, Major J. A. Hill, a Devonshire lad, who is third in line of command, being headed only by Lord Fortescue and one other officer, a colonel.

### Mutual Surprise

Major Hill is of the same age as Mayor Tobin, 36, and the youthful Boston chief executive was genuinely surprised to find Major Hill such a young man, but hardly more surprised than the leader of the British group when he studied the youthful appearance of the Mayor.

Mayor Tobin, with Major Charles A. Malley, head of the Ancients' reception committee, Lieutenants John G. Coxwell, and Albert E. Roberts, and Judge Advocate Eugene C. Hudson, left their beds at 6 o'clock in the morning to greet the visiting delegation.

The visitors arrived on the S.S. Montclare of the Canadian Pacific Line shortly after midnight and debarked at 7 o'clock this morning. In addition to the Boston group, Mayor Lucien Borne of Quebec greeted the Londoners at the dock.

### Warm Welcome

The hospitality of the city of Boston was extended by Mayor Tobin in a speech in which he paid high tribute to the Ancients. Major Malley made the opening speech of welcome, then presented Lieutenant Roberts, who was in command of the Boston group, and the latter introduced Mayor Tobin.

The Mayor and Major Hill made an immediate hit with each other, and the leader of the London visitors expressed deep appreciation of the Mayor's courtesy in traveling to Quebec to make an official welcome. Major Hill said that the visitors hoped to leave the United States carrying wonderful memories.

A morning of sightseeing, including visits to the shrine of St. Anne De Beaupre and Montmorency Falls, was followed by cocktails at the Citadel and a luncheon given by the Garrison Club.

Tonight the visitors were guests of the Grenadier Guards at a buffet supper and then started the trip to New Hampshire.

### Lauds Kennedy

Conversations with members of the visiting groups, particularly Major Hill and Major Gould Walker, secretary of the company, revealed that no special efforts to accelerate the training of the company members, all of whom will be officers in the British army, has resulted from the seriousness of the European situation.

Major Hill mentioned the fact that Boston was the home of Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, and said that the ambassador has made a great hit in England, not only because of his family, though every Englishman admires them, but also because he has risen to meet the expectations of the British. "You know he had a lot to live up to," he said.

# N. H. GOVERNOR HOST TO ENGLISH MILITARY UNIT

## Group on Way From Canada to Swampscott Tour White Mountains After Murphy Meets Them



Lieut. A. E. Roberts of Boston; Maj. J. A. C. Hill, commander of the London detachment; Mayor Maurice J. Tobin of Boston; Mayor Lucien Borne of Quebec City; T. E. P. Pringle, Canadian National Railways, Boston; Maj. Charles A. Malley of Boston. This photo was taken yesterday as the group prepared to board a Canadian National Railways train at Quebec City.

CONCORD, N. H., June 2 (A. P.) Gov. Francis P. Murphy and two members of the Executive Council today officially welcomed to New Hampshire members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London.

The Governor and Councilors George Rolfe of Concord and Thomas A. Murray of Manchester greeted the English military unit at Dixville Notch, where the Chief Executive was the breakfast host. He is a member of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston.

Immediately after breakfast, the company, traveling by bus, started a tour of White Mountain attractions and then visited a number of New Hampshire towns and cities on their way south to Swampscott, Mass. The company was scheduled to arrive in Concord shortly before 3 o'clock for a visit to the State House.

Late this afternoon they will continue to the New Ocean House at Swampscott where they will be the guests of Lieut. Martin Hays at dinner and attend the dog racing at Revere.

### ANCIENTS AND GUESTS WILL VISIT PLYMOUTH

PLYMOUTH, June 2—The Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston and guests, members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, will visit Plymouth Saturday. There will be about 175 in the party and they will come to Plymouth in four large buses and private cars. They will leave the Copley-Plaza in Boston at 9 a. m., arriving here before noon.

They will proceed to town square where they will leave the buses and march up Burial Hill to the site of the old fort of the Pilgrim Colony where are the two cannons which were sent in 1921 from England by that organization to the Ancients in this country as a tercentenary memorial. There will be a rededication of the cannon after which they will take the buses and go to Kings Path, about three miles from town, on the bay, where they will have a luncheon.

They will return to Plymouth center, visit Plymouth Rock and Pilgrim Hall and then return to Boston by the way of Cohasset where a banquet will be held that evening with Gov. Hurler and other prominent officials in attendance.

### REACH HUB TOMORROW

Arrival of London Group to Mark Opening of Tercentenary Festival of Boston "Ancients"—Whirlwind Tour Planned for Englanders

The arrival of the Honourable Artillery Company of London here tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock marks the opening of the 300th anniversary of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, chartered in 1638 by Governor John Winthrop and the Massachusetts Bay Colony as a school for officers and a "nursery for soldiers."

Tonight they arrive at the New Ocean House, Swampscott, after touring New Hampshire. While the London company is here it will be entertained at all of the "Ancients" functions, which include a military ball at the First Corps Cadets Armory, two dinners, one of which will be staged by Governor Hurler, luncheons, teas, sightseeing trips and parades.

The arrival of the Londoners marks the third visit of their company here, other trips being made in 1887 and 1903. The Americans have visited across the water in 1887, 1912 and last year when the London company observed its 400th anniversary.

Superintendent of Police Edward W. Fallon yesterday made plans for handling the parade to be held Monday. A total of 167 extra men, under seven sergeants, will line the parade route, keeping the streets clear and handling traffic.

## Ancients of London Company Will Arrive Friday in Boston

The 300th anniversary of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts will be celebrated beginning next Friday with appropriate exercises that will be attended by members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London and famous American military units.

The London company is scheduled to arrive in Quebec Wednesday and will be greeted in this city Friday morning. Elaborate preparations are being made to receive them. Mayor Tobin will leave for Quebec early this week to greet the visitors when they arrive, and will return with them, arriving at the North Station Friday.

A luncheon is scheduled that day in the Faneuil Hall Armory, and the events arranged include a colorful ball that evening and a parade from the armory to Boston Common on Monday for the annual drumhead election.

In line of march will be the Old Guard of New York, Bristol Train of Artillery, R. I.; the Kentish Guard, R. I.; Governor's Footguards, Conn.; 1st Corps Cadets, 2d Corps Cadet, Salem; Fusiliers Veterans Corp, Lexington Minute Men, State Fencibles, Philadelphia, and the Worcester Continentals.

### SUGGESTS CABLE TO KING: "BOSTON HAS TAKEN US"

Members of the King's Honourable Artillery Company, now being welcomed to Boston by the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, are puzzling over a fitting cable to send King George VI tomorrow.

In 1903, on a similar occasion, the English wired King Edward VII: "We have taken Boston."

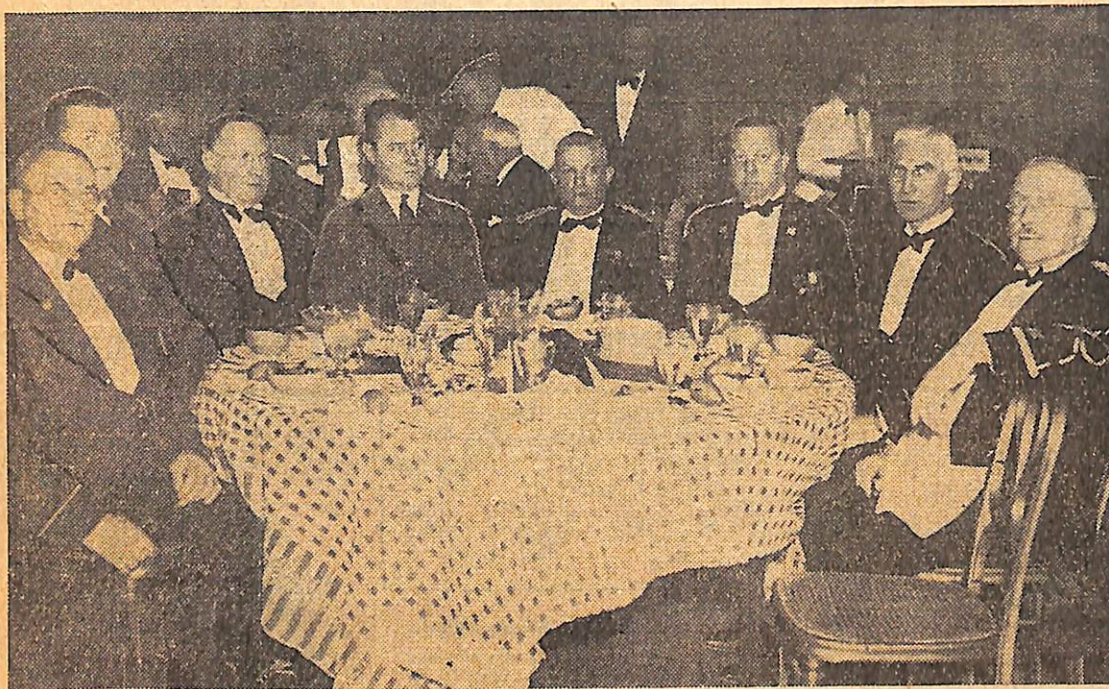
A wit, mindful of the lavish celebrations showered upon the British visitors and recalling their trip to the dog-track Friday night, has suggested this one:

"Boston has taken us!"

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1938.



# Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company Observes Its 300th Anniversary at Party



AT SERGEANTS' TABLE

Left to Right—Harry Morrill, Frank Powers, Lieut. Joseph Hopkins, Roscoe Cross, Lieut. Lewis Adams, E. L. McPherson, John H. Devine, Lieut. Albert E. Roberts.

The oldest military organization in the Western Hemisphere observed its 300th anniversary last night when 500 members and friends of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company gathered for their annual sergeants' party in the main ballroom of the Copley-Plaza.

Among the guests was Gov. Hurley, whose position gives him fulfilled membership in the "Old Corps."

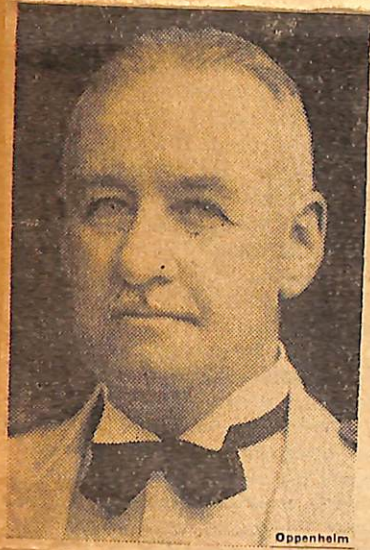
Dignitaries at the head table included Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, Lieut. Albert E. Roberts, Lieut. Louis C. Adams, Lieut. Wallace D. Riddell, Sergt. E. Douglas Mac-

Pherson, Lieut. Roscoe Cross, Lieut. Francis J. Power Jr., Sergt. Lawrence F. Squire, Sergt. Harry S. Bousquet, Capt. Harvey L. Morrill, Lieut. Commander John R. Marshall, Lieut. Edward J. Deveney, Sergt. Paul J. Richenburg, Sergt. Joseph D. Hopkins, Sergt. Joseph L. Griffin.



# THOUSANDS WATCH ANCIENTS PARADE

## Several States Send Delegations on Their 299th Anniversary



**LIEUT COL CHARLES T. CAHILL**  
Cambridge, Elected Captain-Commanding Ancients



**LIEUT ALBERT E. ROBERTS**  
Braintree, Elected First Lieutenant Ancients

By GEORGE NOBLE

Lieut Col Charles Tracy Cahill of 6 Arlington st, Cambridge, publicity director of the United Shoe Machinery Corporation, as the climax of the customary June field day pageantry of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, observing its 299th anniversary, was chosen at the traditional drumhead election on the Common as the new captain commanding that historic military organization.

He will lead the group of about 150 Ancients going over June 29 to the 400th anniversary in London of the Honourable Artillery Company, the old world military organization upon which our Massachusetts Ancients were patterned in 1638.

The other two leaders elected this afternoon as first lieutenant of infantry and second lieutenant of artillery, respectively, were Lieut Albert E. Roberts of 119 Monatiquot av, Braintree, and Sergt Louis C. Adams of 227 Waltham st, West Newton.

Col Cahill was born in Lowell Oct 17, 1887, son of Charles Sheridan Cahill and Caroline Sarah Tracy Cahill. He is a descendant of John Alden of Plymouth and of Ensign Andrew Tracy of Stafford, Conn.

After completing his education in the public schools of Lowell, on his 33d birthday, in 1900, he married Miss Lottie Mae Prescott. They had two daughters, Dr Ella Prescott Cahill and Bessie Alden Cahill; the latter died in 1910.

Col Cahill began his business experience with the Lowell Citizen, where he served in all capacities, later serving with the Courier-Citizen Company of Lowell. He became advertising manager of White Brothers Company, leather, in 1896; advertising manager of the United Shoe Machinery Corporation, April 1, 1900, and now is publicity director.

He is a member of many clubs, fraternities and business associations, including Ancient York Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Lowell, past master; Gen Robert Knox Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Boston, marshal; Mt Horeb Royal Arch Chapter, Lowell; Roxbury Council, Royal and Select Masters, Roxbury, past illustrious master; Joseph Warren Commandery 26, Knights Templars, Roxbury; Boston Boot and Shoe Club, vice president; New England Shoe and Leather Association, vice president.

### Long Military Record

Col Cahill's military record is long. He first enlisted in the M. V. M., later the M. N. G., Nov 22, 1887. With many reenlistments he had risen by 1913 to the rank of major in the Adjutant General's department. He was inducted into the Federal service in 1916 and went to the Mexican border.

His World War service was at Framingham, Camp Bartlett, North Carolina; Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina; and Camp Sevier, South Carolina.

Col Cahill volunteered for duty in reorganizing the M. N. G. during the Boston police strike.

He was retired in 1931 a lieutenant colonel in the Adjutant General's office.

In the course of that military career Col Cahill invented an improved method of playing kriegspiel, demonstrated at the War College in December of 1918; a camouflaged machine gun emplacement and a spark arrester for Sibley stoves—all of which were patented and presented to the Government.

In 1934, Col Cahill was elected first lieutenant of Infantry. At present he is a member of the Military Museum and Library Committee.

### Roberts Well Known

Lieut Albert E. Roberts, today elected first lieutenant of Infantry, in 1933 was elected second lieutenant of Artillery.

He was born in Liverpool 62 years ago and 2 years later came to Boston. Since he was a youngster he has been in the plumbing business.

Always he has been keenly interested in national, state and municipal affairs. Also, he has been prominent in the York and Scottish Masons. He is a life member of Aleppo Temple.

He joined the Ancients April 2, 1927. In 1929 he was elected a sergeant, Artillery section. Because of the death in 1933 of Capt Wil-

cis H. Appleton; officers of the guard, Maj Walter W. Austin and Lieut Frank A. Lawlor; visiting organizations, Col Willis W. Stover, Maj Charles A. Malley, Col Henry A. Hale, Maj Wellington Wells, Lieut Russell E. Hamlin; escort to the Governor, Commander Walter K. Queen; escort to the Mayor, Maj James W. H. Myrick.

All past commanders were supposed to act as aids to distinguished guests.

### Thousands See Parade

As the clock high in the Custom-house tower reached 1 o'clock the bell beneath the grasshopper weathervane atop Faneuil Hall began to clang and the first detachment of the parade, led by the adjutant, Col Henry D. Cormerais, started.

In streets adjacent to the market district and to lower State st formation was effected, and shortly the line was in motion, headed for the Old State House.

After Capt-commanding William H. Ellis, came the chief of staff, Lionel G. H. Palmer, a past commander.

The usual "Auld Lang Sine" of the musicians brought a reminiscent look to the eyes of State-st financiers, who took time off to lean out their windows, high above the street and watch the Ancients marching on their 299th birthday.

On the staff of Capt Palmer were the distinguished guests of the day. Among them were His Worship L. D. McLaven, Mayor of St John, N. B.; Col Robert Starke, Montreal; Gen Winans, Texas, retired, of the Massachusetts National Guard, Lieut Gen Alfred L. Foote, Maj Gen Daniel Needham, Brig Gen George G. Moyle and Lieut Col Gaspar G. Bacon, Col Frank A. Hancock of the 5th Maryland, and Lieut Col James Roosevelt of the Marine Corps Reserved, now a member of the Ancients.

Col Roosevelt, though not wearing a shako, instead a leatherneck's white-covered cap, topped everybody in the group; in fact, in the whole parade by rather more than six inches. Runner-up to him in height was Col Bacon, in the line directly behind him.

As the parade turned into Newspaper row, the tune resounding in State st became that march of which the theme words are: "The Monkey Wrapped His Tail Around the Flagpole."

Up School st next, past the reviewing stand of Mayor Mansfield, and on up Beacon st to the State House.

### Cook Represents Governor

Commander Walter K. Queen of the Ancients acted as "Governor's escort" at the State House and brought into the ranks Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook, who was representing Gov Hurley, to be occupied this afternoon with a meeting of the Council.

Secretary Cook, himself an Ancient, was in formal dress. His National Guard staff, in uniform, was Adjt Gen Charles H. Cole, Lieut Cols Francis K. Rourke and Edward J. Arcand, Majs Ralph W. Robart, John J. Sullivan, John M. Whouley and Vincent P. Coyne, Capt William H. Harrison Jr, First Lieut Timothy J. Regan and Second Lieut Joseph L. Madigan.

Four years ago Col Bacon, who was then Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts under Gov Ely, also a member of the Ancients, represented the Governor at the Ancients' drumhead election and commissioned the newly-elected officers, including Capt-Commanding William H. Chase, ill in bed at the Copley-Plaza.

This morning Col Bacon, at the Faneuil Hall Armory, before parade formation, figured in another ceremony.

To Capt-Commanding William H. Ellis he presented the saber of Capt-Commanding Joseph A. Maier, who died not long ago.

Before the parade Senior Vice Department Commander Joseph F. Stoddard, G. A. R., of Stoneham, sat a while at the Faneuil Hall Armory.

He didn't try to march, but was conveyed by motor to the memorial services at the Old South Church; and later to the Common exercises.

### At City Hall

City Messenger Edward Leary escorted Mayor and Mrs Mansfield to the reviewing stand in front of City Hall. Among the others in the stand were Mrs Mildred Gleason Harris, Councilor from Ward 9; School Committeeman Maurice J. Tobin, John I. Fitzgerald, president of the City Council; Street Commissioner William C. S. Healey and Councilor James Finlay of West Roxbury.

### Many Visitors Parade

Among visiting military bodies, of whom more than 150 representatives swung into line, some with quaint old flags, in formation, along with about 200 of the Ancients, were:

The Fusiliers, 1st Corps Cadets, 2d Corps Cadets, Salem; National Lancers, Lexington Minutemen, Salem Light Infantry Veterans, Worcester Continentals, Amoskeag Veterans of New Hampshire, Bristol, R. I., Train of Artillery, Newport, R. I., Train of Artillery, 1st Co, Governor's Foot Guard, Hartford, Conn.; 2d Co, Governor's Foot Guard, New Haven; Putnam Phalanx, Hartford; Providence, R. I., 1st Light Infantry; United Train, Providence; Varnum Continentals, East Greenwich, R. I.; Kentish Guards, East Greenwich; New Haven Grays; Old Guard, New York; State Fencibles, Philadelphia; Essex Cavalry Troop, Newark, N. J.

Instead of back-tracking down Park st and along Tremont, half-circling the Common, as they used to, and more or less conflicting with traffic, they followed the innovation of Capt Paul Curtis in 1935 and passed along Beacon st, across Charles to Arlington st, whence they went direct to Boylston st, and thus to the Old South Church at Dartmouth st for the memorial service.

### Service at Church

The church detail, in charge of Capt Frank L. Nagle, assisted by Capt G. Harry Adalian, was Capt George S. Williams, Lieut S. Raymond Keith, Sergt Bert O. Wetmore, Sergt Charles W. Howard, Sergt

## Drums Awakened Ancients' Officers Today



OFFICERS OF THE ANCIENTS WHO RESPONDED TO REVEILLE CALL

Let to Right—Lieut Louis C. Adams, Lieut Albert E. Roberts, Lieut James J. Curry, Maj Lionel J. H. Palmer, Commander William H. Ellis, Lieut Wallace Randall, His Worship B. L. MacLorn, Mayor of St John, N. B., and Lieut Col Henry D. Cormerais.

crisis confronting affairs and ultimately led to a happy solution.

From the church the Ancients passed again down Boylston st, to Arlington st, to Beacon st and into the Common parade ground at the Charles-Beacon corner.

On entering the Governor's salute of 19 guns was fired by Battery C of the 101st Field Artillery, M. N. G., under the command of Capt Reginald Mayrce.

Secretary Cook's escort marched directly across the parade ground; so did the visiting delegations of the military. There they could rest while the drumhead election was in progress. Meantime hundreds of guests in chairs beneath awnings at the foot of the slope leading down from the Soldiers' Monument toward Charles st, watched the gay ceremony.

At last came the announcement of the election, the commissioning of the new officers by Secretary Cook, followed by other scenes of bright pageantry, resembling more than anything else an English countryside fête.

In the end, the march was again taken up out of the Common and to the Copley-Plaza, where tonight a reception and a banquet will see the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company march into its 300th year.

THE BOSTON GLOBE—

—MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1937—



## THE A. AND H.A.C.

## FIRST MUSTER IN 1638

## AN INTERESTING BOSTON RELIC

Prince Arthur of Connaught was present last night at a dinner at the May Fair Hotel, given by the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts to the Honourable Artillery Company of London on the occasion of the 400th anniversary of the grant of their Charter in 1537 by Henry VIII.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL CHARLES T. CAHILL, Captain Commanding the A. and H.A.C., presided, and the Lord Mayor and Lord Fortescue, the Colonel Commandant and President of the H.A.C., were present.

To each guest was presented a souvenir programme, upon the front of which was a coloured engraving showing the first muster of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company on Boston Common in 1638. The original hangs in the Armoury House at Boston, Mass. It depicts Governor Winthrop, clad in puritanical black and ruff, inspecting the company, followed by the Rev. John Cotton and military members of the Governor's Council. In the foreground is Robert Keayne, the company's first commander, who was a member of the London H.A.C. At that time there were 12 members from the H.A.C., and in the first 50 years of the A. and H.A.C. 41 members had previously seen service with the parent corps in London.

Each year the A. and H.A.C. hold an annual muster on Boston Common. The ancient tradition of electing the officers is there carried out and the Governor and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts publicly commissions the officers.

## VALUE OF VISITS

Replying to the toast of "The British Empire," PRINCE ARTHUR of CONNAUGHT said that such visits did an extraordinary amount of good. The visitors found that their British confrères were not quite so black as they were painted. He wished that such visits could be more regular. What a fine thing it would be if the H.A.C. from England would visit America and in a year or so the A. and H.A.C. return the visit to London. Both sides would, he thought, benefit. We in this country did not treat Americans as foreigners but as brothers. (Cheers.)

Mr. DUNCAN CAMPBELL-LEE, in reply to the toast of "The United States of America," said that in the old days every man in New England was expected to be a soldier for the defence of his family and his town. Could there be any finer motto for democracy than that?

The LORD MAYOR, in reply to the toast of "The Corporation of the City of London," said that the friendship between the two companies was a wonderful agency for strengthening good will between the two great democratic nations of England and America. A strong Britain and a strong U.S.A. must be a factor for the peace of the world.

Other toasts honoured were "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts," "The Honourable Artillery Company," and "The Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company." These toasts were submitted by the Adjutant, Colonel Henry D. Cormerais.

Among those present were:—

Mr. Robert Frazer (Consul-General, U.S.A.), Lord Denbigh (vice-president of the H.A.C.), Colonel Sir Lambert Ward (Treasurer of his Majesty's Household), Sheriff Sir Frank Pollitzer, Sheriff Sir Charles McRea, Lieutenant-Colonel T. Thornton (equerry to Prince Arthur of Connaught), the Rev. E. H. Thorold (Chaplain-General to the Forces), Colonel F. Farrington (H.A.C.), Captain Rene Studley (U.S. Navy), Captain H. Ellis, Lieutenant-Colonel D. M. Staley, Lieutenant-Colonel P. C. Cooper (H.A.C.), Lieutenant A. E. Roberts (First Lieutenant A. and H.A.C.), Lieutenant Louis C. Adams (Second Lieutenant A. and H.A.C.), Captain Frank L. Nagle, Captain Justin Duncan, Captain Clarence J. McKenzie (A. and H.A.C.), Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Stanford (Commanding "A" Battery, H.A.C.), Major J. A. Hill (Commanding "B" Battery), Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. O'Brien (Commanding the Infantry Battalion, H.A.C.), Captain G. A. R. Coghill (Scots Guards), Captain R. W. Goodbody, R.H.A., Major R. C. Cole (H.A.C.), Colonel Raymond E. Lee (U.S.A. Military Attaché), Mr. H. Jarratt (H.A.C.), Lieutenant-Colonel E. G. Head, Lieutenant P. S. Ayres (H.A.C.), Mr. F. E. Newson-Smith (H.A.C.), and Major J. L. Gow (H.A.C.).

## THE ANCIENTS!

There are a few things in Boston which give the city its historic distinction. Among these historic reminders of the past are the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, the Old South Meeting House, the old State House, Faneuil Hall and Bunker Hill Monument, and of these the oldest is the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, chartered 300 years ago. It is the living exponent of the patriotic past of Boston and New England.

And it was organized on the result of a fear and peril greater than any that had confronted the colonists up to that time—the fear of the Indians because of the massacres by the Pequots in Connecticut the preceding year.

Robert Keayne, a Boston tailor who had been a member of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, urged Gov. Winthrop to charter a similar company in Boston. The Pequot war decided the Governor and Council to grant such a charter and it was lucky for the colonists and the future of North America that they granted such a charter.

For the settlers were comparatively few and scattered and the Indians were many and growing more and more restless and aggressive, until finally in 1675 the Indians, under the generalship of King Philip, decided to exterminate the white settlers of New England. If they had succeeded it would have meant the extermination of all the white settlers in North America in a very few years thereafter.

But the settlers in Massachusetts were prepared for King Philip, thanks to the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company and the train bands that were organized in a similar way in all the scattered settlements. They were able to muster about 6000 men against the 7000 or more Indians under King Philip. And they waged a fierce war against King Philip—the most terrible that had been known up to that time north of the Rio Grande.

They went after the Indians in the middle of Winter; into the frozen woods and morasses and crushed King Philip and his followers in one year—beheading the King.

If it had not been for Capt. Keayne and the Ancients and the example they set all New England there would not have been possible any such armed resistance as King Philip met up with at that time.

The word "artillery" bothers some people. Simply because the word means something today that was unknown when the Honourable Artillery Company of London was organized in 1538. All fighting weapons were then known as artillery and the archers were the real artillerists.

But the purpose which the Ancients served was not ended with the King Philip War. It made a military people of the colonists. Every man was a soldier who could be called upon to defend his settlement or community. It was the first time that such people—farmers, trappers, fishermen, artisans and craftsmen of all kinds—were so trained and organized in any country outside of Holland.

And like the Dutch against the trained Spanish soldiers of the Duke of Alva, these conglomerate soldiers of America turned out to be the best fighters of their time. They proved it when an army of New Englanders took the fortress of Louisburg in Nova Scotia from the French. And later they proved it in the French and Indian Wars and finally in the American Revolution which seriously began at Bunker Hill in 1775.

Such is the tradition of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company, preserved for 300 years as an example of fighting termination when necessary and of fellowship on all occasions.



# LONDON DEAN TAKES CATHEDRAL PULPIT

## Sees Present Era as One of Disagreement

The present era will go down in history as the age of disagreement, but there is a way to peace and happiness and that way is made plain through the teachings of Christ, Very Rev. Walter Robert Mathews, dean of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Eng., assured the large congregation which filled the Cathedral Church of St. Paul last evening.

Dean Philemon F. Sturges led the song and prayer service, assisted by Rev. Cornelius P. Trowbridge.

Dean Mathews has just completed the William Belden Noble lectures at Harvard University and sails for Europe this week.

Taking his text from Isaiah, Chapter 35, eighth verse, "A path and a way shall be there and it shall be called the Holy Way," Dean Mathews said in part. "The great highway is open to the wayfarers. It is an essential thing in this worried and wrecked world today. In the great poetry of the Bible we see this highway leading to a world transformed.

"The pathfinders will find this road. The common man, the wayfaring man will go forward with the pathfinders. We need to get back to the simplicity of the Gospel. The world owes an enormous debt to Christ, and if we recognize that debt and follow His way we can bring peace and right out of the world chaos."

Dean Mathews referred to the ordeal through which his home city passed within the last few weeks. "Anyone who believes that our people would not defend themselves from aggressors and would not fight to safeguard all that they hold sacred — home, family, the culture and beauty of their city — is mistaken," he said. "It is certain that we had a terrible feeling of at least exasperation, but we saw a way, a way to help.

"We see the world full of derogation and fear. We look over the world and we find no peace. This is an age of disagreement. It is not true that the world makes the men—the men make the world what it is today. There is no way out but the new way. We must catch the spirit of Christ. We must have a profound love of God and neighbor. We must take the Holy Path, then and not till then will the world be filled with joy and gladness."



# HOME FROM BRITISH ANCIENTS' CEREMONIES



A delegation of Boston's Ancient and Honorable Artillery came back from England on the S. S. Veendam today. They were in England attending the 400th anniversary of the formation of England's organization of the same name. Recently Bos-

ton's Ancients celebrated their 300th anniversary. Included in the group are Dr. D. M. Staley and wife and Lieutenant and Mrs. L. C. Adams. A crowd of friends greeted the tourists at Commonwealth Pier.

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# Ancients Return From Ceremonies In England

Sixteen officers of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts returned to Boston today from London, where they took part in the 400th anniversary ceremonies of the English Ancients and Honorables and were presented to King George VI, after voting him an honorary member of the corps.

The Ancients were among 91 passengers to land as the Holland-American liner Veendam docked at Commonwealth pier.

Among prominent Bostonians arriving were Captain Clarence J. McKenzie and his wife, Lieutenant and Mrs. Louis C. Adams, Captain and Mrs. Justin A. Duncan, Captain William H. Ellis, his wife and daughter, Marie.

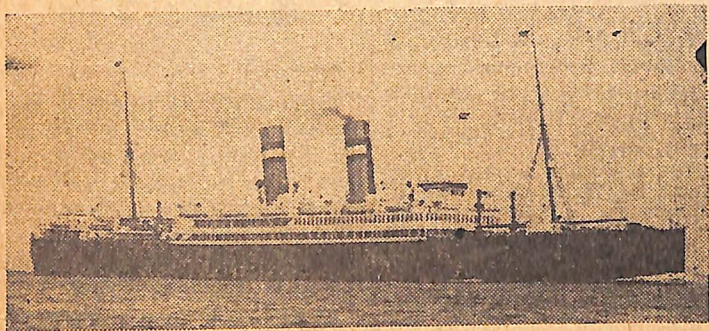
Two jurists on the ship were Judge-Advocate Eugene A. Hudson, and Judge David G. Nagle, with his bride of a month ago, the former Miss Gertrude Duprus of Randolph.



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# Down Cool L

## Veendam's First Boston Visit



STEAMSHIP VEENDAM

The SS Veendam, Capt A. Filippo, arrives here tomorrow from Rotterdam, Boulogne and Southampton, to debark some 100 passengers returning from abroad. She is expected to dock at Commonwealth Pier in the morning, proceeding to New York shortly afterwards.

The appearance of the Veendam in Boston Harbor marks the first visit of the liner to this port and again proves the cooperation and interest of the Holland-America Line in promoting the port of Boston by scheduling more of its ships to call here. The SS Statendam, flagship of the fleet; the SS Rotterdam, a serious cruise ship, and the SS Veendam, sister ship of the Veendam, have called here on more than one occasion.

The Veendam is one of the most popular liners of "the spotless fleet"

and enjoys an eviable following of transatlantic and cruise passengers. She has a personality all her own, marked by friendly, homelike and unaffected simplicity.

The Veendam and her sister ship, Volendam, offer the most economical cabin class passage of any ship on the Atlantic, comparable to the rate for tourist class on many other ships. They are ideal for those who desire a leisurely crossing in the utmost comfort. The Holland-America Line's cuisine and superior service is traditionally maintained by a staff trained to anticipate every wish.

The Veendam, Statendam, Rotterdam and Volendam, will make a series of cruises throughout the Fall and Winter to the Saguenay, Bermuda, West Indies and around South America.



# Sidelights On Life In City Of Manila

## Damnable Doings Of Disreputable Chinos Under The Nose Of Police

**Two Native Women, Brought Down From The  
Provinces, Are Placed In Slavery Of The Vildest  
Sort, In The Heart Of The City & Now For An  
Honest Trial And Conviction** ✂ ✂ ✂ ✂

One of the most revolting cases of dealing in native women for immoral purposes, developed yesterday, when the detective department rounded up Ong To, a big fat Chino, who owns a house of prostitution at 8 Calle Arranque, Santa Cruz, and the release of Maria Monte aged 16, and Maria Garcia, aged 26, who were held as prisoners in the house by him and forced to submit to the Chinese customers who frequented the house. The story of the two girls is one of the most pitiful that has been developed in many months, and exposes a condition of slavery and crime that is carried on with the greatest secrecy right under the nose of the police.

For some time Ong To's house has been suspected. From 5 to 15 Chinese visited the house every day and the detectives soon discovered that the attraction was two young native girls. It was with the greatest difficulty that evidence could be procured, as the house had many entrances and the girls were carefully concealed. Finally, yesterday afternoon, Ong To was seen to enter the house and the detectives took him in charge. The doors of two rooms were broken in and two poorly clad native girls who had not seen the light of day for a fortnight, were given their liberty.

The girls at first refused to say anything, but upon being assured that they would be protected, talked freely. They came from Bacolor and Guagua, Pampanga, about a month ago and their experiences have been anything but pleasant.

Maria Monte, the younger girl, stated that she was born in Guagua and her family is very poor. A Chinaman there told her that she could easily find employment in Manila and make much money. She came to the city and lived in Tondo with Maria Garcia, who had come to Manila from Bacolor recently for the purpose of bettering her condition.

It was while living in Tondo that Ong To put in his appearance.

He represented himself to them as a sanitary inspector, and informed them that they must go to San Lazaro hospital. As that is the locality where all the bubonic plague patients are taken, the girls were scared to go. Finally Ong To gave them to understand that they would either go there or to No. 8 Calle Arranque.

They chose the latter, and when he got them there he locked them up in two rooms. Here he kept them prisoners and they had to lead for the first time immoral lives.

From five to fifteen Chinamen visited the house daily. One of the women paid over to Ong To one half of the money she received and the sixteen year old girl turned over all. They have been kept these for five weeks and whenever they protested Ong To would threaten to take them to San Lazaro.

The girls are bright an intelligent natives. Their clothes were shabby and they looked as if they had been subjected to much ill treatment.

Ong To is a big Chinaman, about six feet in height, and has the appearance of a criminal of the lowest type. When searched he had in his possession a police whistle which the girls claim he used to frighten them at times. It was his badge of authority as sanitary inspector and to blow it meant for them San Lazaro.

He was sent to Anda street last evening, and will be tried at a very early date.

The practise of enticing innocent native girls from the provinces to Manila for immoral purposes, has long been in vogue among a certain class of Chinese. The ignorance of the provincials makes it easy for these slave dealers to ply their trade. Sometimes the poorer class of natives will sell their daughters for immoral purposes, but usually they are inveigled from their homes by smooth Chinos who paint life in the capital in alluring colors and later trap them into their almost inaccessible dens of vice in the city.



# PROTEST AGAINST GAMBLING

## Chinese Chamber of Commerce Objects

Various Chinese Houses Have  
Been Quietly Permitted to  
Run—Will Be Closed at  
Expiration of the  
Present Priv-  
ileges.

Some little time ago the City coffers were enriched several thousand dollars by the rake-off received from the numerous gambling houses that were running wide open through out the city of Manila. Americans, Chinos, and Filipinos were allowed to run gambling houses, that is provided they could pay the privilege price, stipulated by the powers that be. The disastrous results of a wide open policy were noted after a month or so, by the increase in crime, and the coffer lid was tightly closed to the gambler's money.

For the past several days while the minds of the people have been occupied with political affairs and the late unpleasantness Samar, the foxy Chino has again reopened his gambling house, having quietly pulled a three thousand peso wire connected with lid of the city's coffer.

The American and Filipino gamblers have again applied for their old privileges but are told that there is a city ordinance prohibiting gambling, that is and will be, strictly enforced. When they ask why the Chinos are given protection for their gambling dens, they are told that they only gamble among themselves and harm no one, and as long as it is impossible to stop Chino gambling the city might as well have the revenue.

A few days ago Choa Tak Hee, Secretary of the Hock Kain Club (Chinese Chamber of Commerce) submitted a communication to the Secretary of the Municipal Board, asking for information regarding the new policy taken by the Board relative to gambling, and received in reply a statement that gambling was prohibited, together with a copy of the gambling ordinances.

At a meeting of the Club at 75 Calle Anloague, after the reply was received resolutions were passed protesting against the action of the Municipal Board in permitting their fellow countrymen to gamble under police protection, and the Secretary was instructed to inform the Municipal Board of the locations of several gambling houses with a request that the houses be closed at once.

Choa Tak Hee, in his communication to the Board states that at numbers 7, 23 and 64, Calle Ylang Ylang; 248 Calle San Nicolas; 212 Calle San Jacinto; 145 and 157 Calle Nueva and another house on Calle Aranque are running full blast with all kinds of Chinese gambling, games and notices on Chinese characters are posted at the entrances of these house informing the public to this effect.

The communication further states that gambling is a detriment to the Chinese jobbers, as well as the American and other firms in the Manila and requests that action be taken at once and the houses closed.

In an interview with a prominent attorney yesterday, he was asked by a FREEDOM reporter, in what way Chinese gambling affected the merchants, and stated, that many merchants would in one night lose thousands of dollars, and it was not an unusual thing for a man to gamble away his store and stock, and while it is Chinese custom for a man's debt to fall on his relatives if he dies or runs away, it sometimes takes years to pay the debt, and in this way many jobbers suffer losses as a result of the gambling table.

What action will be taken by the Board is hard to say, but it is very probable that at the expiration of the present privilege the monthly three thousand pesos will not be accepted.



# MARIANO NORIEL IN CAVITE PROVINCE

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General Mariano Noriel, king of the Ladrones in Cavite province, has three recruiting stations in operation in that province. It is believed that he is recruiting these men for Malvar's army, but that it not definitely settled. There is, however, no doubt that he is running these recruiting stations in the face of the governor of the province.

They are for the present located at Imus, Naic and Indan and are generally known, even to the minutest details to the general

government, THE AMERICAN is led to believe.

It would seem as though this sort of thing should not be allowed to prevail within view of Manila and almost under the shadow of the Naval station. It is reassuring to know that the recruits he is getting are the riff-raff and the scum of the population, from which ladrones might be expected to spring. The better class of people, who went into previous revolutionary movements from patriotic impulses, are not following Noriel.



# MATTERS GETTING UNEASY IN CAVITE

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At recently appointed officer of native troops who has been stationed in the mountains of Cavite Province for the past two years as an enlisted man and civilian scout, was in town over Sunday. Speaking of affairs in Cavite province, this officer declared his belief that Cavite would be put back under military rule within a few weeks.

"The mountains and cañons around Indang and Silang," he said, "have always been a resort for insurgents and other desperadoes. In their secured retreats Mariano Trias, the present governor of Cavite, had his headquarters for over a year, inaccessible to the American troops. Malvar at one time operated in these mountains and their fastnesses are well known to the various insurgent leaders of Batangas and Laguna.

"Although there is at present but little open trouble in Cavite,

there is a growing discontent among the natives which will drive many of them to join Malvar."

As printed a few days ago in the AMERICAN, the insurgents have three recruiting offices in Cavite where natives may enlist in Malvar's army. Cavite has been the cradle of many outbreaks, so many, in fact, that it has come to be called "the hot-bed of insurrection." The province has always been infected with ladrones and outlaws who find ready refuge in its mountain caves. The road from Imus to Silang has a reputation for hold-ups and ambushes that is seldom equalled.

The same officer stated that Governor Trias of Cavite was distrusted by the military of the province and that there was also considerable friction between Inspector Mair of the Constabulary and the military in Cavite.



## THE METROPOLITAN POLICE.

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SENATOR Beveridge, in his article in the *Saturday Evening Post*, on the White Invasion of China, speaking of the Metropolitan Police Force of Manila, says:

"So it is that the police force of the capital of the Philippines, unsurpassed in the world in appearance, efficiency and discipline, will have an inspiring effect upon guardians of order throughout the United States. For the American police of Manila, in appearance, equipment, discipline, manner and efficiency are not equaled by the police of St. Petersburg or Berlin, not equaled by the guardians of peace in any American city, and would probably be selected in competitive review of the world's constabulary as the finest body of men of the kind in existence."

We have always thought so, and are glad to see that the noble Senator is of a like opinion. While the youthful orator is rather inclined to gush in a copious flow of language, yet he does occasionally deliver himself of a potent and pregnant truth, and such is his opinion and eulogy of the metropolitan policemen of Manila.

And this is as it should be. The cream of the volunteer army was lifted and incorporated in this body. Each man was picked as specially fitted for the position, judged by the record which he had achieved as a non-commissioned officer of volunteers. Probably no better training for a policeman was ever furnished than the experience which these same men had in that organization. As Kipling says, "the backbone of the army is the non-commissioned man." In his line of duty he is called upon to exercise all the qualities which go to make a wise, just, prudent, sensible, discriminating and resolute officer. He must display tact and forbearance, and yet be ready to act with promptitude and energy when the occasion demands. And most of these qualities are seen in the metropolitan policemen of Manila today. Though it seems like an extreme and extravagant assertion, yet with Senator Beveridge, we believe that the peers of the metropolitan police of Manila do not at present exist in any similar organization in the world.



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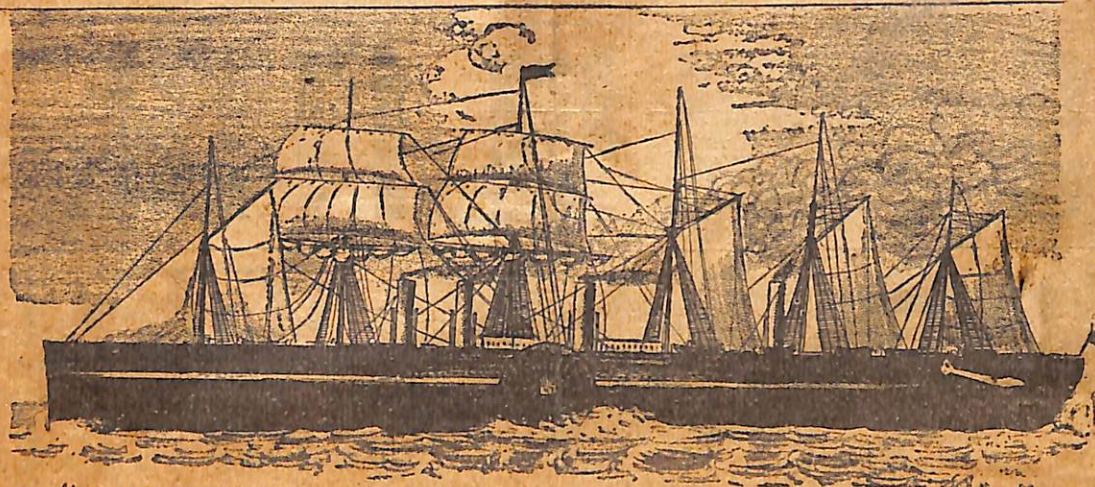
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# LEARNING AMERICAN WAYS.

## Louis C. Adams of Portland, Just Returned From Manila, Tells of Observations There.

PORTLAND, Me, July 17—Louis C. Adams, formerly of Co E, 46th volunteer infantry, arrived home Tuesday night from Manila. After the termination of his period of enlistment Adams became a member of the police force of Manila and served for 16 months under Capt George Curry, late chief of police.

Adams is a bright, active young fellow of 22, and prior to enlisting in the volunteers was with Co B of the 1st Maine regt at the camp in the south during the war with Spain.

"All the members of the police force," Adams said, "were ex-officers and men of the volunteer force. There were about 700 originally, but when I left there were only about 250 in the service.

"We were paid \$70 a month, but there was no money in it at that rate. The cost of living is high, and \$100 a month would not be more than enough.

"The city was very orderly while I was there. Of course, in a city of 400,000 people there will be murders, but they were few. The great majority of the arrests made were for minor offences.

"The natives do not use much liquor, and are not disposed to make trouble.

"It may be all on the surface, but it seemed to me that they were rapidly getting familiar with American ways and that they were growing more friendly.

"Unless they secure a special permit to do so, no one, white or native, is allowed to carry arms, and this of course greatly assists in the work of enforcing the law.

"The soldiers stationed there are no longer subject to any special hardship. A white man can live there all right, and without any trouble, providing he is willing to take care of himself, and of course this would be just as true here as there.

"The operations against the enemy are no longer against organized armies, but skirmishes with a few men. The military power is rapidly giving way to the civil authorities. Of course, if murders occur in the field and outside of the city the guilty persons are dealt with by the military authorities.

"The natives are not badly treated. While in the service I never saw a case of the administration of the so-called water cure.

"In Manila the withdrawal of the

troops has, as a matter of course, had a depressing effect on business. The soldiers had money and were willing in many cases to spend it. There is as yet



LOUIS C. ADAMS,  
In Costume of Manila Police.

but little American money in circulation there. The Chinese are among the leading business men, and are keen and sharp."



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# ANCIENT AND HONORABLE GROUP BACK FROM TRIP TO EUROPE



Among the members and guests of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company who returned today from abroad are: Upper left, Col Henry Comerais; right, Mrs Clarence J. McKenzie of Winthrop, and Mrs Louis C. Adams of West Newton; in bottom photo, Roy A. Faye, Boston; Clarence J. McKenzie, Winthrop, and Eugene A. Hudson, Somerville.

Elated over having met King George VI of England in person, members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company returned this morning from their pilgrimage abroad on the Holland-America Line steamship Veendam, which discharged 95 of its 334 passengers here.

Another contingent of the company will not arrive until Aug 15 on the Statendam of the same line, for they have extended their tour in Europe.

There were some 40 men and women in the Ancient's group and they received a happy welcome at Commonwealth Pier as the ship docked at 8 a m. The Ancients found things humming in England and some of the members were told confidentially by English military authorities that England will reach peak armament in about one more year. Hundreds of airplanes are being built over there, the Bostonians were informed.

A "fine fellow" is King George, the Ancients said, who met the Monarch in the armory of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, the organization on which the Massachusetts Ancient and Hon-

orable Artillery was patterned when it was founded in 1638.

The pilgrimage was for the local company to take part in the 400th anniversary celebration of the London organization.

## Say, "How Do You Do?"

The Ancients were told only to say, "How do you do?" to the King as they stood in line and shook hands with him. "Sit down, gentlemen," he said to them, "do not stand."

King George seemed to be in the best of health. They were dined by the Duke of Gloucester and also met by the Lord Mayor of London. A parade was staged by the local outfit in London.

Three women in the party visited Buckingham Palace, Mrs Louis C. Adams of Newton, wife of Lieut Adams; Mrs Clarence J. McKenzie, wife of Capt McKenzie, and Mrs David G. Nagle, wife of Judge Nagle of the South Boston District Court. Only Mrs Adams met the King at the time of the Ancients' introduction to him.

King George was presented a gold certificate naming him an honorary member of the Boston military or-

ganization. King Edward also had been an honorary member.

Judge Nagle and his bride were on their honeymoon and visited Ireland and England. They met the party of Ancients in London. Judge Nagle reports Ireland as a most busy place, with every one seemingly employed.

The Veendam made a special trip here, came from Rotterdam via Boulogne and Southampton. The Ancients' party visited Amsterdam, Cologne, Heidelberg, Lucerne, Interlaken, Geneva and Paris, beside England. The ship left for New York at 10 a m.

Others in the Ancients' group were Dr and Mrs F. W. Allen, Henry C. Church, Col Henry I. Comerais, George O. Cote, Capt and Mrs Justin A. Duncan, Dr E. A. Eastman, Capt and Mrs William H. Ellis and Miss Marie C. Ellis, Mr and Mrs Ralph P. Evans, Mr and Mrs J. S. Hathaway, Eugene A. Hudson, judge advocate; Mr and Mrs Ernest L. Kimball, John R. McTavish, Mr and Mrs Archibald Sayce, A. Holton Sayce, Montford H. Sayce and Miss Dorothy J. Sayce, Dr Samuel E. Totten and Lieut Frank W. Whitcher.





KING with officers of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston on the conclusion of his review yesterday.



## THE KING AND THE H.A.C.

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### REVIEW OF THE REGIMENT

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#### AN AMERICAN TRIBUTE

The King yesterday inspected the Honourable Artillery Company, of which he is Captain-General. The review was the culmination of a series of events and festivities with which the ancient Guild of St. George has been celebrating the 400th anniversary of the grant of its Royal Charter in 1537 by King Henry VIII. The Lord Mayor and the Sheriffs were present.

There was a large muster on parade, and nearly 1,000 veteran members of the regiment and their friends were spectators of the review, which was held in the grounds of the Armoury House, Finsbury. Altogether the non-active members and visitors totalled over 3,000. Members of the contingent from the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston, Mass., were prominent in their quaint and distinctive uniforms.

#### THE INSPECTION

The regiment formed up at 5.15 p.m. with the Battalion and the Colours in the centre and "A" and "B" Batteries on the flanks. The band and drums were in rear of the Battalion. Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Stanford (Master Gunner within the Tower) was in command of "A" Battery, Major J. A. Hill in command of "B," and Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. O'Brien in command of the Battalion. Lord Fortescue, Colonel Commandant, was in command of the parade.

The King, who was in the undress uniform of Colonel-in-Chief of the Coldstream Guards, accompanied by Colonel Sir Lambert Ward, was received at the main entrance by Major-General P. R. C. Commings and Lord Fortescue, and the regiment came to attention, the Battalion at the slope. Directly his Majesty reached the saluting base the Royal Standard was broken from the flagstaff, the regiment gave a Royal salute, and the band played the National Anthem.

The King then inspected the regiment and meanwhile the band played regimental airs. Afterwards the King took the salute as the regiment marched past. Lord Fortescue then took command and the regiment advanced in review order and gave a Royal salute, the band again playing the National Anthem.

#### MEMBER OF BOSTON COMPANY

This terminated the review and the King left the ground with the Colonel Commandant and went to the Armoury House. The Colours were marched off with due ceremony. In the Court Room the King signed the vellum book, which is of great antiquity. He signed on a specially decorated page illuminated with the Royal Arms in heraldic colours. In the Long Room the Colonel Commandant presented to the King all active officers of the regiment, attached officers and officers of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company.

Finally the King accepted at the hands of Colonel Henry D. Cormerais the certificate of membership of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company and was afterwards photographed with the officers of the H.A.C. and also with the officers of the American Company. As his Majesty left the Armoury House he was loudly cheered by members of the regiment and their friends and by a large crowd which gathered in the City Road.

Later in the evening Captain C. J. McKenzie presented a silver rose bowl to Lady Fortescue on behalf of the American visitors as a token of their appreciation of the hospitality they had received at her hands.

\* \* Pictures on page 20.



# THE KING REVIEWS THE HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY



A REVIEW BY THE KING.—The King taking the salute at the march past of the Honourable Artillery Company on the Artillery Ground, Finsbury, yesterday. The review of the regiment by the King was an impressive ending to the celebrations marking the 400th anniversary of the granting of a charter of incorporation to the regiment by Henry VIII, and was witnessed by a large crowd, the surrounding warehouses providing excellent grand-stands for the employees. The King, who is Captain-General of the Company, was paying his first visit to the Artillery Ground.



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## ANCIENTS BACK FROM LONDON

### Return from Participa- tion in 400th Anniversary Celebration

Members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, their wives and guests, returned on the Holland-American Line liner Veendam which arrived here today from Rotterdam via Boulogne and Southampton.

The Veendam, in command of Capt. A. Filippo, brought 334 passengers, 95 of whom landed at Boston. The vessel then proceeded to New York.

#### GUESTS OF LONDON

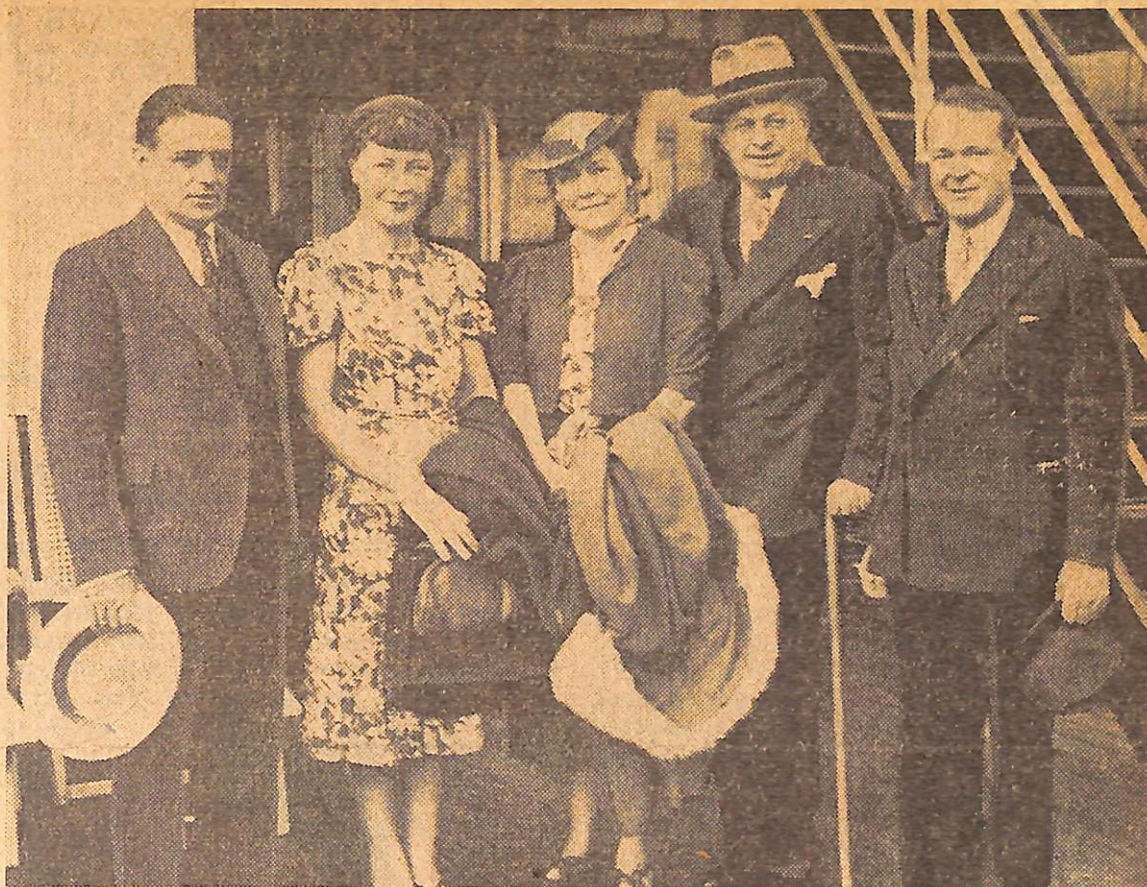
The Ancients went to London to participate in the 400th anniversary celebration of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of London. The English organization was incorporated by King Henry VII in 1537 and the Boston organization was founded 300 years ago.

King George VI was presented with a gold certificate of honorary membership in the Boston unit. The Duke of Gloucester presided over a dinner given in honor of the American unit.

Among those who returned on the Veendam were Lt. Louis Adams and Mrs. Adams; Judge and Mrs. David Nagle of the South Boston district court, who also were on their honeymoon trip; Capt. Clarence MacKenzie and Mrs. MacKenzie; Col. H. I. Cormerais, and his wife; Lt. Eugene A. Hudson, judge advocate; Andrew S. Seiler, Capt. Justin A. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan, Capt. William H. Ellis and Mrs. Ellis; Henry C. Church, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Allen, George O. Cote, Dr. E. A. Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Kimball, John R. McTavish, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Richenburgh, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Riddell, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Sayce, A. Holton Sayce, M. H. Sayce, Dorothy J. Sayce, Dr. Samuel E. Totten and Lt. Frank W. Whitcher.

Other members of the Ancients who went across took advantage of the opportunity to travel through Europe. Most of them will return to Boston on the Statendam on Aug. 15.

## BACK HOME AFTER LONDON VISIT



Among members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, and their wives, who returned on the liner Veendam from Rotterdam today, are those shown above. Left to right: Judge David Nagle of South Boston court, Mrs. Wallace D. Riddell, Wallace Riddell and Judge Advocate Lieutenant Eugene A. Hudson.

## Find Photos of 250 Commanders of Ancients



#### ANCIENTS' CENTURY BOX IS INSPECTED

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, left, and Lieutenant Frank W. Whitcher, inspecting the famous Century Box of the company. It will not be opened until 2030.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles T. Cahill, commanding officer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and Lieutenant Frank W. Whitcher, member of the military museum and library committee, found yesterday that the famous "century box" was intact, and it was returned to the vaults of the State Street Trust Company for another year.

The box, which contains some of the early records of the company, as well as newspapers, essays by Boston school children and other items for

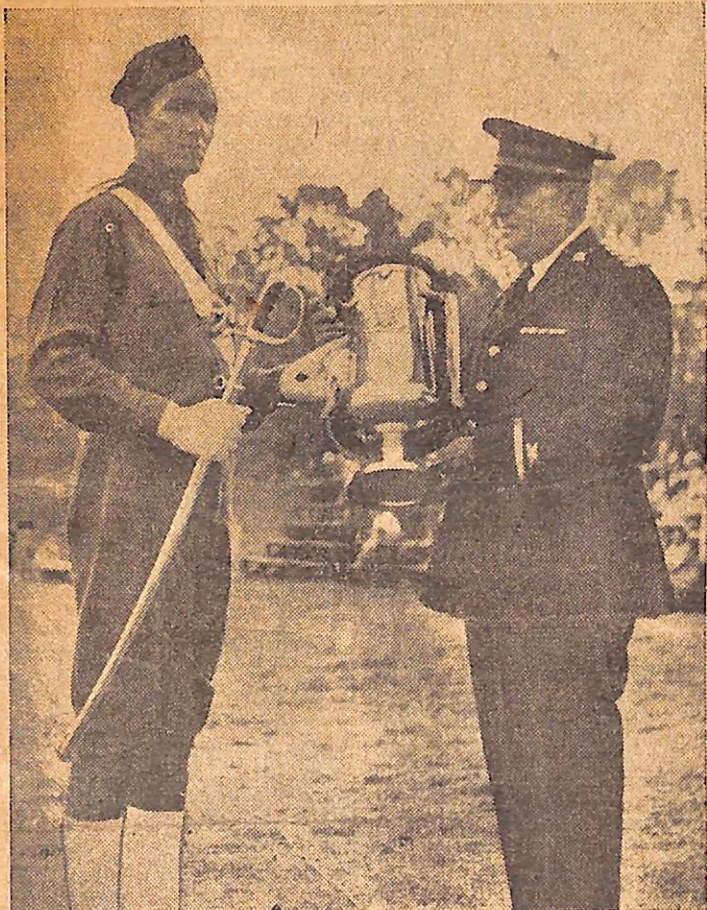
the edification of the "Ancients" of the next century, is inspected once a year, but only opened on rare occasions, the last one being in 1930 during the Tercentenary celebration. During the inspection yesterday the officers came upon two other prized possessions of the company. There were two boxes containing photographs of the 250 company commanders from the period of 1633 to 1888. The only photograph missing is that of the first commander, the famous Captain Robert Keayne.



AUGUST 6, 1937

## Medals and Awards Given Students at Fort Devens

### Governor's Day at C. M. T. C. Virtually Ends Camp's Activities For Season



MEDAL DAY AT FORT DEVENS

Right—Lieut. Louis Adams of Ancient and Honorable Artillery, Boston, presents Student Joseph Cavanaugh of Hudson the Keane trophy and saber.

Special Dispatch to the Globe

FT DEVENS, Aug 5—"Governor's Day" today at the C. M. T. C. virtually brings to a close this year's camp.

The Governor was unable to be present but sent as his representative Brig Gen Cole, State Adjutant, who arrived at 2 o'clock. He was met at the gate by Col Matthew Tomlinson, commanding officer of Ft Devens, and a guard of honor from Company G, 13th Infantry, Light Tanks.

After inspecting the guard he proceeded to the C. M. T. C. area for a review of the young citizen soldiers. In a short address to the boys he stated that he had come direct from the National Guard camp at Bourne and extended an invitation to the boys to visit the camp.

A fine review was given, followed by massed calisthenics. The honor

zanship, Joseph A. DiCesaro, Co "B," Everett;  
Gov. Allen Cup for excellence in athletics, Francis P. Denault, Co "B," W. Springfield;  
Gov. Fuller Cup for greatest excellence in training, discipline, and citizenship, John R. Moore, Co "I," Medford;  
Gov. Fuller Cup for greatest excellence in athletics, Douglas D. Pirnie, Co "C," Concord;  
Mass National Guard Cup for most proficient in military science, William H. F. Gado, Co "K," West Hartford, Conn.;  
Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers Medal to outstanding student from Fifth Massachusetts District, Harold B. MacDonald, Co "F," Woburn;  
Keane Trophy and Sabre to the outstanding student in drill, marksmanship and qualities of leadership, Joseph R. Cavanaugh, Co "O," 3d Bn, Hudson;  
Fitchburg Civic Council Trophy and Medal, John F. Burns Jr, Co "A," Fitchburg;  
Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Medal and Citation, Robert J. Quinlan, Co "A," Somerville;  
Mass Society S. A. R. Good Citizenship Medal, Joseph A. DiCesaro, Co "B," Everett;  
National Patriotic Council Medal, W. Bruce Pirnie, Co "C," Concord;  
Springfield Chapter Number 1, R. O. A. Medals, Robert G. Kibbe, Company "K," Westfield; Stanley Cykowski, Company "I," East Hampton;  
Waterbury Chapter Reserve Officers' Association Award, Douglas H. Robertson, Company "L," Waterbury, Conn.  
Mattatuck Branch, Sons of the American Revolution Award, William J. Stroker, Company "B," Waterbury, Conn.

## Ancients Conclude Field Day Visit Here

### 1,500 Bid Farewell to Boston Unite at Depot; Presentations Made

A hushed crowd of 1,500 Saint John citizens heard a trumpeter of the band of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts play "Till We Meet Again" as the Ancients' special train pulled out of Union Depot last evening.

The crowd had assembled to bid farewell to the Ancients, who spent Monday and Tuesday here for their annual Fall Field Day. As the trumpeter played his farewell, the throng joined in singing the words and also accompanied him in singing "God Save the King."

It was a glorious farewell and a fitting closing to the welcome accorded the visitors during their stay.

The Fusiliers' band was present, in circular formation, from the station entrance to the tracks. After they played the Star Spangled Banner and the National Anthem, Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, officer commanding the Ancients, made his way through the throng to personally thank Lieutenant Perkins, bandmaster, and his men for their kindness and co-operation during the Ancients' stay.

The Fusiliers gave "Auld Lang Syne," "The British Grenadiers" and other selections as their contribution to the farewell.

His Worship the Mayor and Brigadier L. F. Page, D.S.O., officer commanding military district No. 7 were among the large number of militiamen and civilians present at the farewell.

Yesterday afternoon members of the Ancients were entertained by the Byng Boys at a stand-to at the club's bungalow, Pleasant Point. Major W. A. McDougall, acting O.C. of the club, presided and extended a hearty welcome. Brief addresses were delivered by Premier A. A. Dysart, one of the guests of the day, Captain Lewis Adams, Lieut. Albert Roberts and Lieut. Wallace Riddell, adjutant of the Ancients, and by Brigadier L. F. Page, D.S.O., O.C. of M.D. No. 7, Saint John.

The informal gathering was entertained by members of the Ancients' glee club and indulged in a number of wartime choruses and songs climaxed with the presentation of a beautiful silver tray, a Sheffield reproduction, inscribed "To the Byng Boys' Club of Saint John in appreciation of courtesies extended by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts."

This beautiful memento is not the only souvenir treasurer by the Byng Boys in memory of such gatherings. Suspended from the ceiling of the bungalow diningroom are an ancient musket and powder horn, also presented by the Ancients.

Last evening a panoramic photograph of the day's gathering, framed and bearing the Byng Boys' crest, was presented by Major McDougall to Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, officer commanding the Ancients, in the lobby of the Admiral Beatty Hotel

prior to the departure of the Massachusetts unit. Col. Cahill had made the presentation to the Byng Boys during the afternoon.

In the morning a team of the "Ancients," under Lieutenant A. E. Tuttle, engaged in a competitive rifle shoot with a team from the 1st Battalion Saint John Fusiliers (Machine Guns) on the Saint John Military outdoor rifle range. The local team was under Major W. K. Clawson, quartermaster of the Fusiliers.

At noon, the members of the "Ancients" reported at the armoury, where a presentation was made in the Saint John Garrison Officers' Mess.

At this ceremony, the Fusiliers presented the "Ancients" with a head of a moose, suitably inscribed, as a memento of the visit here of the Artillery Company.

Following the presentation, the "Ancients" were guests of the Officers' Mess at a "stand-to" or reception at 12.15 o'clock.

## THE CITIZEN

### 'Ancients' Toast King, Country And Saint John

#### 250 Sit Down at Dinner for Artillery Company's Outing Dinner

"Bound by ties of kinship and insoluble friendship we of this ancient company again salute this fair city. May prosperity and happiness ever be the lot of those who dwell there," spoke Lieut. Wallace Riddell, toastmaster at the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts' banquet in the Admiral Beatty Hotel last night, in proposing the toast to the City of Saint John.

About 250 members of the unit and leading dignitaries in the province gathered for this dinner of the 300-year-old artillery company.

In responding to the toast to the city, Mayor D. L. MacLaren expressed the joy of its citizens at being permitted to welcome the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and in speaking of the relations between the two countries, said "The so-called border line between the two countries is conspicuous by its absence of armed guards."

The first toasts were to "The King" and then to "The President." Following these, Colonel Charles Cahill, captain of the company addressed the gathering. "No other city has ever given to our company the reception that you have given to us on our visits," he said.

The toast to "Canada" was responded to by Hon. W. E. Foster, Speaker of the Senate. He referred to the history of the artillery company and also spoke of the international relations, speaking of the innumerable likenesses of the two countries.

Col. Edward Arcand responded to the toast to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and expressed regret that the Governor could not be present in person.

"You shall find in this country a charm that can be found in no other part of the country," expressed Hon. A. A. Dysart, Premier and Minister of Public Works, in response to the toast to New Brunswick.

"The City of Boston" toast was first responded to by Lieut. Martin Hays and then by Captain William H. Ellis, personal representative of the Mayor of Boston.

"Our Guests and Hosts" was the final toast and this was responded to by Brigadier L. F. Page, D.S.O., officer commanding Military District No. 7, who expressed to the "Ancients" the appreciation for their hospitality at the dinner.

Seated at the head table were: Lieut. Col. Wallace Riddell, James W. MacLaren, Dr. W. W. White, Major McDougall, Lieut. Martin Hays, T. D. Davis, Senator W. E. MacLaren, Louis C. Adams, Brigadier L. F. Page, D.S.O., General LeRoy J.B.M. Baxter, Lieut. Col. Charles T. Cahill, Hon. Murray MacLaren, Lieut. Col. Edward MacLaren, Hon. A. A. Dysart, Lieut. Col. Albert Roberts, D. L. MacLaren, William H. Ellis, Hon. H. MacDonnell, D.S.O., and John Stewart.



# Ancients Frolic at North Station After Strike Halts Two Hub Ships



SINGING A FAREWELL TO THE SHIP

Former Assistant District Attorney of Middlesex County Frank G. Volpe is shown at the piano on the liner St. John as the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company was stranded aboard the boat by steamship strike. They later went to Canada by train.

## THE MAN On The STREET

Conducted  
By  
STUART TRUEMAN

OVER the heads of some of the 1,500 cheering men, women, boys and girls who thronged the Union Station and the train platform last evening to see the "Ancients" off, one could discern a solitary blue-coated figure in the circle of Fusilier bandsmen who were playing "Yankee Doodle."

This blue-coat among the red-coats was lustily blowing a golden trombone which one of the Fusiliers obligingly had passed over to him, upon request.

"That's one of our boys," shouted a khaki-uniformed Ancient to a friend bystander (he shouted because the din of band, train engine shunting and crowd milling was deafening). "He plays in the Shrine band in Boston, and he sure loves to get his hands on one of those trombones."

And there was the Ancient, right in with the Fusiliers, playing his own farewell—reminiscent of a similar hometown scene in the late movie, "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town."

Another Ancient had taken over the baton of the band; as he was a novice at the job the bandmen let

SAINT JOHN, N. B.,

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## When "Ancients" And Byng Boys Get Together



Pictured above are members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts with their hosts, members of the Byng Boys Club of Saint John, at the club's bungalow, Pleasant Point, yesterday afternoon. Premier A. A. Dysart, also a guest at the stand-to,

is seated in the centre of the group. The gathering, another treasured memory to club members of the three visits of the Ancients to Saint John, will be perpetuated in the beautiful silver tray presented by the unit to the host club. In return, a framed copy of this photo bearing

the crest of the Byng Boys, was presented last evening to Lieut.-Col. Charles T. Cahill, commander of the visiting unit, by Major W. A. McDougall, acting O. C. of the Byng Boys, shortly before the departure of the visiting party from Saint John.

humming  
Again" as the Ancients' solo trumpeter played it from the open doorway of the baggage car and the Fusiliers in the semi-distance provided a muted accompaniment . . . and joining in singing "God Save the King"



# STRIKE HALTS TWO HUB SHIPS

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Ancients, Forced to Hire Special  
Train, Convert North Station  
Into Big Dance Floor



ANCIENTS DANCE AT NORTH STATION

Members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company amused themselves last night by dancing while waiting for a train at the North Station to take them to Canada. Ship strike called off their sea voyage.



**THE ANCIENT  
AND HONORABLE  
ARTILLERY COMPANY**  
of Massachusetts, celebrating  
their 300th anniversary  
fall field day at St. Johns,  
New Brunswick, were enter-  
tained at the home of Lt.-  
Gov. Hon. Murray MacLaren  
and Mrs. MacLaren. Left to  
right, front row: 1st Lt.  
Albert E. Roberts, Mayor  
D. L. MacLaren of St. Johns,  
Lt.-Gov. Hon. Murray Mac-  
Laren, Captain Commanding  
Ancients Charles T. Cahill,  
Premier A. A. Dyart of New  
Brunswick, 2d Lt. Louis  
Adams. Second row, back:  
Brigadier L. F. Page, D.S.C.,  
commanding military dis-  
trict No. 7; Gen. Leroy  
Sweetser, Maj. Charles L.  
Malley. Man with wing col-  
lar in third row is United  
States Consul T. D. Davis.

(Photo by Major Dick Sears)





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SUPREME

COUNCIL

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OF S.G. INSPECTORS GENERAL

OF THE A.A. SCOTTISH RITE

FOR THE

Northern Masonic Jurisdiction  
OF THE  
United States of America sitting at  
its Grand East, Boston, Massachusetts.

This is to certify that

Brother **Louis Charles Adams**

who has signed his name in the margin hereof is a  
Prince of the Royal Secret, 33<sup>rd</sup> and as such is regu-  
larly affiliated in our Consistory in the Valley of  
Boston in the State of Massachusetts  
and is hereby recommended to the protection and  
fraternal consideration of all members of the Ancient  
Accepted Scottish Rite throughout the world.

Deus Memque Jus.

Wm. H. Hussey 33<sup>rd</sup>  
M.P. Sov. Gr. Com.

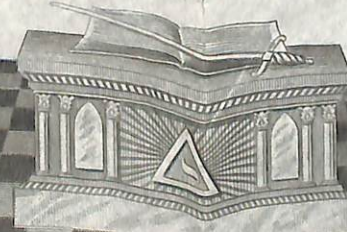
Wesley Lockwood 33<sup>rd</sup>  
Commander-in-Chief.

Charles H. Spilman 33<sup>rd</sup>  
Gr. Secy. Genl.

Frank B. Lawler 33<sup>rd</sup>  
Secretary.



*Louis Charles Adams*  
*No. 1000*  
*Issued April 28, 1932.*





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HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY,  
 ARMOURY HOUSE,  
 E.C.1.

9th July, 1937.

DEAR SIR,

First of all, may we extend to you the heartiest welcome to London, and express the hope that your stay among us will be happy and memorable.

In this envelope you will find all the necessary tickets for the various events of the Anniversary Celebrations, and we would ask you to be good enough to bring the appropriate ticket with you on each occasion, in case you should be separated from your party.

In their order the tickets are as follow :—

**FLANK COMPANIES BALL—Friday, July 9th.**

The ticket printed in brown on cream.

At the Ball you will find a marquee set aside as a rallying point for the A. and H.A.C. Its name—"Faneuil Hall"—should make it easily recognisable. You are asked to gather there at a few minutes before 10 p.m., as at 10 o'clock the Colonel Commandant will welcome the Delegation on the main dance floor and present the special commemorative medal which has been struck for the 400th Anniversary Celebrations.

**GARDEN PARTY AND PAGEANT—Saturday, July 10th.**

The green ticket.

Members of the A. and H.A.C. are asked to parade at 4.30 and march to the Pageant arena, where they will be inspected by the Lord Mayor of London before taking their reserved seats to view the Pageant.

**CHURCH PARADE—Sunday, July 11th.**

Members of the A. and H.A.C. will need no ticket for this event, as the Delegation will march to St. Paul's Cathedral at the head of the Regiment.

**REGIMENTAL BANQUET AT GROSVENOR HOUSE—Monday, July 12th.**

The red and white ticket.

Please use the Restaurant Entrance in Park Lane.

**RECEPTION AT GUILDHALL BY THE CORPORATION OF LONDON.**

You will find tickets for this in the separate envelope.

Yours very truly,

G. GOOLD WALKER,

Secretary.



Co "E" 46th Inf U.S.V.  
Maie Manila P.S.

January 19 1901

Corporal Louis C Adams has permission to be  
absent from his company and station for  
the purpose of visiting Manila from 12 m the  
19th of January to 12 m the 24th of January 1901

C. D. Wood

Approved.

W. E. Mendenhall  
Colonel 46th Inf U.S.V.  
Comdg Regiment

1st Lieut 46th Inf U.S.V.  
Comdg Co "E"





*The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company  
of Massachusetts  
cordially invites you to a  
Reception and Banquet  
Complimentary to the Parent Corps  
The Honourable Artillery Company  
on the occasion of their  
Four Hundredth Anniversary  
Tuesday, July Thirteenth  
Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-seven  
at seven-thirty for eight o'clock  
May Fair Hotel  
London*



JUNIOR



RANDOLPH FIELD  
1937



Lieutenant & Mrs. Louis C. Adams

M<sup>rs</sup> Bingham

at Home

Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup>

5-6.30 p.m.

American Embassy,  
1 1/4, Prince's Gate, S.W. 7.

R.S.V.P.



Mrs. Louis C Adams.

M<sup>rs</sup> Bingham.

11, Prince's Gate, S.W. 7.



*The American Ambassador*



*Herschel V. Johnson*  
*First Secretary of Embassy*  
*of the United States of America*



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Honourable Artillery Company

400th Anniversary Review

HIS MAJESTY THE KING

Captain-General, Honourable Artillery Company,

in

THE ARTILLERY GROUND, FINSBURY,

on

Monday, July 19th, 1937, at 5.30 p.m.

No cars will be allowed in the  
Ground. Spectators must be  
in their places by 5.15 p.m.

MORNING DRESS





Mrs Louis Adams





This is to certify that

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Lt. L.C. Adams

is a member of

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.  
of Massachusetts

V. D. Cornman

*Adjutant*

THIS TICKET MUST BE SHOWN UPON REQUEST





This is to certify that

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Mrs. L.C. Adams

is a member of  
the Ladies' Delegation of

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.  
of Massachusetts

H. L. Conneris

*Adjutant*

THIS TICKET MUST BE SHOWN UPON REQUEST





*A Gesture of Welcome  
To Mrs Louis C. Adams*



*Lieut Louis Adams  
A S H N C*





LIEUT. COL. H.W. O'BRIEN,  
M.C., T.D.,  
H.A.C. O. C. Commanding Infantry  
Battalion



# Card of Membership

This Certifies that **LIEUTENANT L. C. ADAMS**  
is a member of our

**ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY** Tour

Leaving **BOSTON** **JUNE 29th, 1937**  
and is entitled to all privileges and accommodations of said tour

Tour Manager in Charge **Mr. C. C. Colpitts**

**COLPITTS TOURIST COMPANY**  
Boston, Massachusetts

(over)

Per **E.F.T.**



Train direct to London. Independent from  
7/15; rejoins for return 7/20.

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of the  
Honourable Artillery Company  

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Regimental Church Parade  
at  
St. Paul's Cathedral  
on  
Sunday, July 11th, 1937  
at 6.30 p.m.

This ticket will admit  
one person to the Nave. Entrance  
by West Door

Ticket holders  
should be in their seats  
by 6.10 p.m.

This card was used as a marker  
and was placed on the seat at the  
left of His Majesty King George VI  
for taking of picture July 20, 1937



7.30 p.m.—Banquet given by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company at the Mayfair Hotel. Mess dress.

**Wednesday, July 14th.**

1.30 p.m.—Leave hotels for Windsor Castle. Inspection of State Apartments, by permission of the Lord Chamberlain. Visit to house of Robert Keayne. Thence to Hampton Court Palace (built by Cardinal Wolsey and presented by him to King Henry VIII). Tea at Hampton Court. Plain clothes.

8.30 p.m.—Reception at Guildhall by the Corporation of the City of London to the Honourable Artillery Company. Mess dress.

**Monday, July 19th.**

5.30 p.m.—Inspection of the Honourable Artillery Company by H.M. The King, Captain General, Honourable Artillery. Uniform.



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**CELEBRATION**

OF THE

**400TH ANNIVERSARY**

OF THE

**GRANT OF THE ROYAL CHARTER  
OF KING HENRY VIII**

**1537**

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**VISIT**

OF

**DELEGATION FROM THE  
ANCIENT AND HONORABLE  
ARTILLERY COMPANY OF  
MASSACHUSETTS**

**6th JULY to 19th JULY**

**1937**



### **Tuesday, July 6th.**

6 p.m.—Reception of the Delegation on arrival in the S.S. "Statendam" at Plymouth, by Colonel the Rt. Hon. The Earl Fortescue, M.C. (Colonel Commandant, Honourable Artillery, and Lord Lieutenant for the County of Devon), and the Lord Mayor of Plymouth, W. R. Littleton, Esq. Plain clothes.

### **Wednesday, July 7th.**

11 a.m.—Reception at the Guildhall, Exeter, by His Worship The Mayor of Exeter. Plain clothes.

### **Friday, July 9th.**

Regimental Ball at Armoury House, arranged by the Flank Companies, H.A.C.

10 p.m.—The Delegation will assemble in the marquee marked "Faneuil Hall," in the Artillery Ground, for reception by the Colonel Commandant and the Presentation of Silver Commemoration Medals. The Reception and Presentation will take place on the dance-floor.

Dancing and Old English Fair until 3 a.m. Mess dress.

### **Saturday, July 10th.**

3.30 p.m.—Garden Party and Pageant at Armoury House.

At 4.45 p.m. the Delegation are asked to fall in on the Parade Ground, and headed by the Band of the Honourable Artillery Company, to march into the Arena, where they will be inspected by the Lord Mayor of London, afterwards taking their seats in the Reserved Enclosure.

Motor Coaches at 7.0 p.m. Uniform.

### **Sunday, July 11th.**

5.30 p.m.—Church Parade at St. Paul's Cathedral. The Delegation are asked to fall in at Armoury House and march at the head of the Regiment to St. Paul's Cathedral.

Seats for Members of the A. and H.A.C. on parade will be reserved in the Cathedral. Their ladies will receive tickets for admission to reserved seats. The Rt. Hon. The Lord Mayor of London (Sir George Broadbridge, K.C.V.O.), will take the salute at Mansion House on the return from the Cathedral. Uniform.

### **Monday, July 12th.**

10 a.m.—The Delegation will witness the ceremony of Changing the Guard at Buckingham Palace (or St. James's Palace) by special permission of the Master of the Household. Plain clothes.

7.30 p.m.—Banquet at Grosvenor House, to be attended by H.R.H. The Duke of Gloucester. Reception by Colonel The Earl Fortescue, M.C. Mess Dress.

### **Tuesday, July 13th.**

10 a.m.—Visit to the Tower of London. Inspection of White Tower, Jewel House, Bloody Tower, etc.

12 noon.—Embark on Port of London Authority steamer, "St. Katherine and Royal Princess," and proceed down river to Greenwich. Visit and lunch at National Maritime Museum.

After lunch visit Royal Naval College.

3.15 p.m.—Re-embark for river cruise. Tea on board by kind invitation of the Port of London Authority. Plain clothes.



Mr. D. P. O'Brien,

Dulmeny.  
Bickley.



Dennis - Terry - Henry col.  
Lt. - Capt.

Valmsley - Houghton R.

Bickley - Kent.



Assembly 12 noon; parade 12:05 p.m.

Proceed to State House where Governor Hurley will be received, parade to New Old South Church; sermon by Rev. Edward T. Sullivan, D.D. Reading of Ode by Lieut. F. W. Whitcher; Memorial service. Parade reforms. March to Boston Common; review by Governor Hurley. Ceremony of planting tree from Windsor Park, gift of His Majesty King George VI. Pageant, "The First Muster", Drumhead election, Commissioning of officers by Governor Hurley, March to Copley Plaza Hotel where annual banquet will be held. Reception at 7 p.m., banquet at 7:30 p.m. Uniform, mess or special evening dress.

### TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Uniform.

Leave hotel by bus at . Proceed to Newport, R. I. Short parade in Newport. Shore dinner at , guests of . Leave for Providence, Biltmore Hotel.

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

Dress mufti.

Leave hotel, taking train for New York. Arrive New York City , Hotel Commodore, part of Terminal Station. Afternoon and evening free.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Dress uniform.

Leave hotel in buses at . Proceed to West Point, arriving at 2 p.m. Mounted drill at 2:30; Guard Mount at 4 p.m. Evening parade at 5 p.m. Return by bus to hotel in New York.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Free.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Morning free. Sailing on steamer from at noon.



## *Itinerary*

### Visit of the HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON

#### To Participate in 300TH ANNIVERSARY ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY

June, 1938

Arrive Quebec, SS Montclair, morning June 1.  
Forenoon sightseeing in Quebec. Leave for Montreal early afternoon by Canadian National RR.  
Sightseeing tour of Montreal arranged by Victoria Rifles; buffet supper at Armory of Grenadier Guards.

Leave Montreal at midnight, Canadian National Railways, on special train of sleeping cars to North Stratford, N. H.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 2

Clear train at 6:45 a.m. Dress mufti.  
Board buses as guests of the State of New Hampshire, Governor Francis P. Murphy, to "The Balsams", Dixville Notch, for breakfast.



Leave "The Balsams" at 8 a.m. proceeding through Dixville Notch to Errol, Berlin, Jefferson Islands, Twin Mountain to Echo Lake and "Old Man of the Mountain".

Leave at 11:15 a.m. proceed through Plymouth, Ashland and Meredith, arriving at Laconia at 1:30 p.m.

From Laconia to Concord, Manchester and New Ocean House at Swampscott, Mass. Guests there of Lieut. Martin Hays. Dinner at New Ocean House, Swampscott. By bus to Dog Racing at Revere, Mass.

Return by bus at close of races to New Ocean House.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 3

Uniform. Leave New Ocean House at 10:30 a.m. Arrive North Station at 11 a.m. where Company will be met by members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. Parade to Faneuil Hall for presentation of special medals; buffet luncheon.

Leave Armory at 2:30 p.m. for State House. Reception by Governor Hurley in the Hall of Flags and presentation of personally inscribed "Log of the Mayflower" signed by Governor Hurley and the great seal of the State.

Leave State House at 4 p. m. for Boston City Hall. Reception by Mayor Maurice J. Tobin.

Leave City Hall at 4:50 p.m. for Copley Plaza Hotel.

Evening—Mess jackets or evening dress. Uniforms. To Armory of the First Corps of Cadets for military ball at 8:30 in any Checker taxicab. Return to Hotel in any Checker taxicab; ticket for transportation provided.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 4

Dress mufti. Enter buses at Copley Plaza Hotel on Dartmouth St. side at 8:45 a.m. Visit down-

town Boston. Look over the city from 22d floor of United Shoe Machinery Corp. building. Visit Museum. Leave building at 10:15 for Plymouth, Mass. Visit Memorial and the guns which were restored to Plymouth through the good offices of the Honourable Artillery Company.

Arrive at King's Path Inn at 12:35 p.m. View Plymouth Rock and leave for Cohasset at 2:45. Arrive at Lieut. James J. Curry's home at 4 p.m. where tea will be served.

Leave Cohasset at 5 p.m. returning to Copley Plaza Hotel at 6 p.m. Dinner tendered by Governor Charles F. Hurley of Massachusetts, Copley Plaza Hotel, Grand Ballroom, at 7:30 p.m. Uniform, mess or evening dress.

### SUNDAY, JUNE 5

Dress mufti.

Leave Copley Plaza Hotel in members' cars, designated and numbered as such, the head of line at Dartmouth St. side of the hotel at Huntington Avenue. Leave at 11:45, arrive Country Club of Brookline at 12:30 p.m.

Leave Country Club at 2:25 for Harvard College; arrive at Johnson Gate at 2:50 p.m. Special tour through College grounds and Museums. See famous flowers at the Agassiz Museum.

Leave Oxford St. entrance to Harvard at 4 p.m. Arrive at Mass. Institute of Technology at 4:15 p.m. Special program arranged and tea will be served, after which cars will proceed individually. Evening left free for individual entertainment.

### MONDAY, JUNE 6

Uniform. Reveille at Hotel at 8 a.m. Leave hotel in Checker taxicabs, proceed to Faneuil Hall Armory. Collation served at Armory.





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Military guests will please  
appear in uniform.

Charles T. Cahill  
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Captain Commanding



The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company  
of Massachusetts

requests the honor of your presence with lady  
at the

Three Hundredth Anniversary  
Reception and Ball

Friday evening, June the third  
Nineteen hundred and thirty-eight  
First Corps of Cadets Armory  
105 Arlington Street, Boston

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# MILITARY BALL

## *Clothing Check*

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE — A CHECK ROOM  
WILL BE FOUND IN THE HEADQUARTERS ROOM—  
FIRST FLOOR — OFF THE GUN ROOM.

*Present this card to*  
ATTENDANT

A. & H. A. CO.

JUNE 3rd, 1938





# *Military Ball*

CELEBRATING THE

THREE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY

OF THE

*Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company*

FRIDAY, JUNE THE THIRD

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHT

FIRST CORPS OF CADETS ARMORY

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

THIS TICKET TO BE PRESENTED AT THE DOOR

(OVER)





## HEADQUARTERS

# *Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company* OF MASSACHUSETTS

SPECIAL MEMO.

Faneuil Hall, Boston, May 27, 1938.

### ASSIGNMENT OF MEMBERS AND GUESTS TO BUSES TRIP TO PLYMOUTH, JUNE 4, 1938

#### BUS NO. 1

##### H. A. C.

Antunovich, A.  
Bignold, E.  
Benton, Capt. N. M.  
Bright, Capt. F. Y.  
Brown, Capt. T. B.  
Cole, Major R. C.  
Goodbody, Capt. R. W.  
Green, Capt. A. H. Q.  
Gregar, Lance Sergt. R. B.  
Hill, Major J. A.  
Jones, E. J.  
Keech, Capt. A. E.  
Landsberg, Major H. V.  
Morrish, J. H.  
Postlethwaite, Lieut. F. H.  
Savery, T. D.  
Rundle, W. C.  
Swinfen, B. F.  
Walker, Major G. Goold  
Walsham, A.  
Whiting, E. T. W.  
Wooton, A. R.

##### A. & H. A. CO.

Cahill, Capt. Chas. T.  
Coady, Capt. James D.  
Cormerais, Col. H. D.  
Curry, Lieut. James J.  
Devine, Sergt. John H.  
Gorey, Sergt. Andrew J.  
Hopkins, Sergt. Joseph D.  
Lanagan, Lieut. Frank W.  
Lombard, Gen. W. E.  
Marshall, Lt. Com. John R.  
MacPherson, Sergt. E. D.  
McKenzie, Capt. C. J.  
Morrill, Capt. Harvey L.  
Paquet, Lieut. Wilfred S.  
Riddell, Lieut. W. D.  
Stover, Col. W. W.  
Whitcher, Lieut. Frank W.  
Witney, Lieut. Leelan E.

#### BUS NO. 2

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Armstrong, Lieut. G. R.  
Barber, Lieut. B. L.  
Barber, Lance Sergt. L. A.  
Beaven, Lance Corporal J. M.  
Bourne, Sergt. H.  
Chapman, H.  
Cullen, Gunner S. V.  
Dodds, Lt. Col. Jackson  
Danks, Lieut. A. R.  
Douglas, I. W.  
Dressell, Private C.  
Garrett, Sergt. A. Y.  
May, Sergt. J. C.  
Maynard, Corporal H.  
Nicoll, Lieut. J. C.  
Orr, Sergt. A. G.  
Pearson, Lieut. J. V. C.  
Riley, Lance Sergt.  
Scott, Private G. N. A.  
Seymour, Lance Corporal H. N. D.  
Wilson, Lieut. C. J.

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Bousquet, Sergt. Harry S.  
Cross, Lieut. Roscoe  
Cummings, Major F. S.  
Deveney, Lieut. Edward J.  
Griffin, Sergt. Joseph L.  
Gulesian, Lieut. Paul  
Hall, Lieut. George E.  
Kimball, Sergt. Arthur R.  
Malley, Major C. A.  
McGinnis, Sergt. Patrick J.  
Myrick, Major J. W. H.  
Nagle, Capt. F. L.  
Palmer, Major L. G. H.  
Power, Lieut. F. J., Jr.  
Roberts, Lieut. Albert E.  
Rogers, Lieut. Fred K.  
Richenburg, Sergt. Paul J.  
Seiler, Sergt. Andrew S.  
Shackford, Lieut. Geo. A.



ASSIGNMENT OF MEMBERS AND GUESTS TO BUSES  
TRIP TO PLYMOUTH

JUNE 4, 1938

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Carmichael, Private L. T.  
Capps, Private A. J.  
Duce, Private E. R.  
Evans, Gunner A. F.  
Forward, Private P. E.  
Hill, Private D. M.  
Mackenrot, C. Potter  
Molison, Gunner W. S.  
Neame, Gunner E. B.  
O'Brien, Major T.  
Piper, Lieut. R. H.  
Pryke, Private W. D.  
Pryke, Capt. H. F. S.  
Radford, Capt. N. H.  
Roberts, Lt. Leslie B.  
Stratton, Capt. O. G.  
Sykes, Lieut. C.  
Twyman, Lance Corporal C. K. H.  
Vine, Gunner J. C.  
Walshe, Capt. H. H. H.  
Wingate, Lance Corporal R. P.

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Amelotte, Sergt. N. R.  
Bagley, Sergt. James E., Jr.  
Basch, Major William E. R.  
Curtis, Capt. P. O.  
Curtis, Lt.-Col. William G.  
Duncan, Capt. J. A.  
Ellis, Capt. W. H.  
Hale, Col. Henry  
Hudson, Lieut. Eugene A.  
Queen, Capt. W. K.  
Smith, Lt.-Col. Roy W.  
Stone, Sergt. George H.  
Swett, Capt. Arthur J.  
Tierney, Col. Thomas F.  
Tuttle, Lieut. Albert E.  
Volpe, Lieut. Frank G.

BUS NO. 4

H. A. C.

Blackburn, B. J.  
Butler, Lieut. E. J.  
Cole, Lieut. W. E.  
Collins, C. A. L.  
Constance, Gunner J. A.  
Edwards, Private G. A.  
Eldred, Gunner F. E.  
Emeny, K. D.  
Fearnside, W.  
Fryett, J. E. C.  
Harrap, E. O.  
Jago, Gunner W. L.  
James, T. H.  
Mackenrot, Lieut. W. Potter  
Mills, Gunner J. P.  
Price, Lieut. A. L.  
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Squire, Sergt. Lawrence F.  
Wismer, Lieut. Rudolph

The buses will leave Dartmouth Street side of the Copley Plaza Hotel at 8.40 A. M., Saturday, June 4, 1938.

The above-mentioned Guests and Members will report promptly, and take their places in the bus to which they have been assigned.

CIVILIAN DRESS.

By order of

Official:

CAPTAIN CAHILL.

W. D. RIDDELL, Adjutant.



# The Tercentenary Committees

Onward, the arrangements for the Tercentenary celebration progress. The General Committee has been in weekly meetings for some months, while an executive committee and sub-committees are now appointed and begin their duties that give every promise for a successful and brilliant fruition to culminate in an observance of the 300th Anniversary according to the best traditions of the historic old Corps. The membership of the Company will be informed from time to time through Company meetings and published circulars of all that is progressive under the arrangements now being outlined, coordinated or in possible contemplation. The completed list of committees is as follows:

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Suggested program for the 300th anniversary of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and the entertaining of the Honourable Artillery Company of London.

This program was approved on March 10, 1938 by the Officers, Executive Committee and the Chairman of Committees.

Voluntary constructive suggestions from our members will always be welcomed by our Commander.

Wednesday - June 1.

Honourable Artillery Company arrive in Quebec at the Canadian Pacific dock at 9 A.M. They will be met by a small reception committee headed by our Commander, Col. Cahill, will be sightseeing in Quebec until 1:30 P.M. when they take a train for Montreal to spend the afternoon and evening in that city. About midnight they will leave on a special train for New Hampshire to arrive at a point designated by Governor Murphy.

Thursday - June 2.

Members of the H.A.C. and our committee will be received in the morning in New Hampshire by Governor Murphy who is a member of the A. & H. A. Company. They will journey through the White Mountain section presumably by busses, arrangements having been made for their entertainment there by the State of New Hampshire. They will arrive at the New Ocean House in Swampscott, Massachusetts by night fall.

Friday - June 3.

H. A. C. arrives in Boston in the forenoon by busses stopping and leaving busses at about the North Station, there to be met by our members in uniform as their escort and marching direct to Faneuil Hall where the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. will serve a buffet lunch for them and our members in the Armory. After luncheon our four officers will take the members of the H. A. C. by busses to the State House where they will be individually introduced to Governor Hurley. The Governor will present each one with an autographed copy of the Bradford Manuscript (Log of the Mayflower). They will then be conducted to the Library in the State House where they will see the original Log in the glass case. Afterwards they will be shown the Sacred Cod in the House of Representatives and given a general view of our State House. After this they will proceed to the City Hall where they will be individually introduced to Mayor Tobin and then proceed to their quarters at the Copley Plaza Hotel. Military Ball in the evening at the First Corps Cadet Armory. The State Regimental Officers, the British Veterans, Scotch and Canadian Societies will be among those participating with the members of the Ancients and ladies.

Saturday - June 4.

Our members who will have their own cars constituting a fleet of courtesy cars will call at the Copley Plaza for the members of the H. A. C. at 9:30. They will give them a ride around Boston Proper and an opportunity to visit any particular place or store that they may wish. Our members will see that they are driven to Plymouth for luncheon at one o'clock. After luncheon they will be escorted to the Guns, to Plymouth Rock and through the Historical Museum in Plymouth after which they will start for home stopping at the home of James J. Curry in Cohasset for tea, arriving back to the Copley Plaza at six o'clock. Banquet for them in the evening possibly tendered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts or the City of Boston.



Sunday - June 5.

Members of the H. A. C. will go to church in the forenoon according to their religion. The Episcopalians (Church of England) stepping across the street to Trinity Church and other members going to the nearest churches of their denominations. After church, our members with their fleet of courtesy cars will pick up the members of the H. A. C. at the Copley Plaza and take them to the Brookline Country Club for a buffet luncheon. After luncheon they will be conducted through the Harvard College grounds and buildings being shown particularly the glass flowers in Agassiz Museum, this being the only collection of this art in the world. They will be given a souvenir of their visit and then conducted to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology where we will hope to have a special exhibit for them. In the evening, the "Ten-of-Us" Club act as hosts in keeping open house at the Copley Plaza for the members of the H. A. C. and the other guests.

Monday - June 6.

The usual traditional ceremonies, parade and functions of the Ancient's Anniversary Day leaving the Armory at 11:45 o'clock in the forenoon, arriving at the new Old South Church for service at 1:30. We will then march to Boston Common for the ceremonies there consisting of a picturesque pageant depicting in full detail and true to history, the First Muster in 1638, after which the H. A. C. officers will plant a sapling of English Oak in a spot on the Common to be designated by the proper authorities. The traditional ceremony of commissioning our officers will be performed then on the common, by Governor Hurley. In the evening there will be our usual Anniversary Banquet presumably at the Copley Plaza Hotel.

Tuesday - June 7.

The H. A. C. will leave in the forenoon for Providence and Newport to be entertained by the Newport Artillery with a clam bake for luncheon and entertainment in the afternoon with a banquet in the evening to be attended by the Governor of Rhode Island, the Mayor of Providence, the Mayor of Newport, and other dignitaries.

Wednesday - June 8.

The H. A. C. will start on their trip to West Point accompanied by our Commander, Col. Cahill and some of our members, arriving in New York City that night.

Thursday - June 9.

H. A. C. in New York City seeing the sights and visiting the night clubs.

Friday - June 10.

H. A. C. in New York City and being entertained by the Old Guard.

Saturday - June 11.

H. A. C. sail from New York City at noon.



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BOSTON, MASS.

March 31, 1938

Lieutenant Louis C. Adams,  
24 School Street,  
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Lieutenant Adams:

I want to take this opportunity to again thank you for all that you did to make Tuesday night's affair the wonderful success it was. I have heard many very flattering comments regarding it.

Sincerely yours,

*Chas. T. Cahill*  
Chas. T. Cahill

Captain









